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## MARIETTA COMING HERE SOON

### Officials Decide That Supposed Yellow Fever Cases Were Only Malaria

After a conference at Washington between Rear Admiral Wainwright, aide for operations, and Surgeon General Stokes, it was decided Monday that the gunboat Marietta should be sent to this, her home yard. The vessel is now lying in quarantine at Key West, and although the

medical officers are confident that there has been no yellow fever aboard the ship, as an extra measure of caution she will be sent above the frost line, where the disease germs and mosquitoes will surely be exterminated if any remain.

The only death from fever that occurred aboard the Marietta, that of Coxswain J. H. Minor, is declared by the naval surgeons to have resulted from an attack of pernicious malaria.

The regular monthly meeting of the Board of Instruction will be held this evening.

## CRASH CAPSIZES TROLLEY CAR

### Collision on Atlantic Shore Railway at Springvale Injures Only One

A passenger car on the Atlantic Shore railway slid down a grade on icy rails at Springvale Monday, Motorman James Moseley being powerless to check its headway, and crashed into a locomotive of the Boston and Maine which was at a standstill near the railroad station.

The trolley car was tipped on its side, but none of the dozen passengers aboard were injured, seriously. Motorman Moseley stuck to his post until the crash came, when he was thrown violently backward. He sustained only slight bruises, though his escape from death was almost miraculous.

The engine was a shifter which was standing on the main line at the freight house crossing.

Damage received by the car consisted of a crushed vestibule and the wrenching off of the headlight and step.

## SAVED FROM STORM'S CLUTCHES

### Big Fishing Schooner Pulled from Rocks Off Cape Porpoise Just In Time

Leaving 25 feet of her keel and other splintered bits of her bottom behind, the big Boston fishing schooner Flayilla was pulled from the rocks at the mouth of Cape Porpoise harbor Monday just in time to escape being ground to fragments by the gale which struck the coast a few hours later.

The Flayilla, Capt. Charles McKay, mistimed while beating in to the harbor late Sunday afternoon, and went ashore on Goat Island ledge. Her crew failing to get her free the tug Portland was sent for and she left Portland at midnight, floating the Flayilla the next forenoon.

In the southeast hurricane of Feb. 1, 1908, the Flayilla was at anchor in the lower harbor when the schooner Pythian parted her cables and went ashore, narrowly escaping the same fate herself. Part of the Pythian's crew left her and boarded the Flayilla when their own craft struck drift.

## HOITT IS A NEWMARKET MAN

### Nominated By President To Be United States Attorney for New Hampshire

Charles William Hoitt, whose nomination as United States attorney for New Hampshire was sent to the senate Monday by President Taft, was born at Newmarket, Oct. 26, 1847. He

From 1889 to 1907 Mr. Hoitt was received his early schooling at Franklin academy, Dover, and took his degree from Dartmouth college with the class of '71.

He taught school in Nashua and Boston for three years; studied law States district attorney for New Hampshire.

## NAVY YARD

Naval Orders  
Rear Admiral T. C. Heilner, retired, to honor; Lieut. Comdr. L. P. James to the West Virginia as executive officer; Lieut. J. Rodgers, home and wait orders.

### Vessel Movements

Arrived—Uncas at mouth of Potomac, Bailey at Washington, Hannibal at Hampton Roads, Lebanon at Samana bay, Terry at Norfolk, Wheeling at Puerto Cortez, Yankton at Guantanamo, Paducah at Port Limon, Rocket at mouth of Potomac. Sailed—Tallahassee and Telumseh from Washington for mouth of the Potomac, Vulcan and Hector from Hampton Roads for Guantanamo, Petrel from New York for Guantanamo, Louisiana, Kansas and New Hampshire from Guantanamo for Samana bay.

### Katahdin to Be Target

The naval officers and members of the house naval committee who planned to go to the mouth of the Potomac Monday to witness an attack by the monitor Tallahassee, upon the ram Katahdin were obliged to postpone their trip until further notice. A snowstorm which started during the night and lasted through the day promised to render the target invis-

## AT THE STAPLES STORE

### SPECIAL MARK DOWN PRICES ON ALL COATS, SUITS AND FURS.

Child's White Fur Set, Muff and Neck Piece, were \$3.00.....	\$2.00	"Peter Pan" and "Normal College" Coats for Infants and Misses marked down to below cost.	
Child's Brown Fur Set, Collar and Muff, were \$5.00.....	\$3.98	Ladies' Long Grey Tweed Coats, Piped with Black Velvet.....	\$5.00
Ladies' Black Conge Muff and Scarf marked down to.....	\$2.98	Ladies' Long Grey and Tan Tweed Coats, were \$15.50.....	\$11.50
Ladies' Grey Fox Muff and Scarf marked down to.....	\$8.50	Misses' All Wool Navy Serge Suits, sizes 14 and 16, were \$17.50.....	\$12.00
Ladies' Black Conge Sepa- rate Muff reduced to.....	\$2.00	Ladies' Grey or Navy Suits with Fancy Stripe, were \$20.00.....	\$14.98

LEWIS E. STAPLES, 7 MARKET ST.

### WHAT WE SAY IS SO

Official register of the navy as a rear admiral on the retired list, instead of with the rank of captain, as now designated. The officer complains to the court that despite a decision of the United States court of claims he is and has been since September 29, 1904, entitled to the rank and emoluments of a rear admiral on the retired list. Mr. Meyer refused to recognize him as of the higher grade, and continues to publish him as a retired captain. Under the navy personnel act, it is claimed the officer should have been advanced to the grade of rear admiral on his retirement.

### Texas' Death Sentence

Sentenced to destruction as a moving target after a notable record in the naval service, the old second class battleship Texas, which had been station ship at the navy yard here, left Charleston Monday afternoon for Norfolk, where she will be dismantled. Her place at Charleston has been taken by the cruiser Baltimore.

### Wants His Children

Civil Engineer James W. G. Walker, formerly stationed at this yard, in the department of yards and docks, who is being sued for divorce, has asked the superior court at Newport to grant him custody of his children who are now living with their mother who was Miss Chinn of Washington.

### On the Eligible List

As a result of the recent examination for quartermen and leadingmen the following have been placed on the eligible list:

Quartermen  
F. E. Gatchell, boat builder.  
W. E. Ryan, boilermaker.  
J. A. Pettie, electrician.  
L. E. Williams, mechanical electrician.  
H. J. Chandler, machinist.  
S. E. Caswell, machinist.  
G. M. Gillen, machinist (hull).  
D. J. Leahy, moulder.  
J. H. Foye, patternmaker.  
C. C. Muchmore, shipsmith.  
Robert Gray, laborer.  
Leadingmen  
F. E. Gatchell, boat builder.

W. E. Ryan, boilermaker.  
T. W. Ducker, cooper.  
J. A. Pettie, electrician.  
L. E. Williams, electrician.  
J. T. Jones, machinist.  
W. H. Falconer, machinist.  
B. M. Burke, machinist.  
A. O. Goodwin, moulder.  
F. L. Hatch, moulder.  
E. E. Otis, painter.  
S. E. Outwalt, painter.  
J. H. Foye, patternmaker.  
E. Dewley, pipefitter.  
J. Shaugnessy, riveter.  
C. E. Muchmore, shipsmith.  
O. M. Jellison, laborer.

### Officers Don't Like It

The freak movements of a bunch of sailors from the U. S. S. Washington on Monday afternoon is said to be not very pleasing to Capt. Hughes of that vessel and the executive officer as well. Capt. Hughes is known to all navy men as one of the best in command of a vessel and that he refuses to stand for such actions of any of the ship's company on shore. It is understood as a result of the rampage of Monday a patrol from the ship will do duty ashore the same as of the other vessels of the cruiser fleet while in this port. The navy men will always find Portsmouth extending them a glad welcome but when they come across the river and get themselves in bad they will have to take the bad with the good.

### Wiremen Going On

Five wiremen for duty in machine division were called by the labor board today.

### Will They Come Back?

A bunch of rewards for several members of the marine guard on the U. S. S. Southern reached the police today. The men have been out since the last pay day and are simply classed as stragglers.

Takes Charge at Coaling Plant  
Chief Machinist L. H. Wentworth has been placed in charge of the machinery at the yard coaling plant, which duty was performed by Chief Machinist C. R. Johnson previous to his recent transfer to Washington.

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26 inch Messaline, stripes, all shades.....	75c yard
19 inch Messaline, plain, all shades.....	50c yard
19 inch Persians and Dresdens.....	\$1.00 yard
19 inch Persians and Dresdens.....	87c yard
36 inch Black Messaline.....	\$1.00 yard
26 inch Wash Silks, all shades.....	39c yard
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## THE REBELS HAVE RETIRED

El Paso, Tex., Feb. 6.—Outgeneralized in their efforts to prevent the entrance into Juarez of Col. Rabago and 300 federal troops from the south, the Mexican revolutionists under Pascual Orozco are reported this morning to have retired to Salamatana, 25 miles south of Juarez, there to replenish their supplies of ammunition and to await reinforcements.

Alamo, with an insurrection force of between 500 and 600 men, was reported 25 miles east of Juarez last night. He had a sharp skirmish with a band of 100 federalists last night, the federalists retiring in front of such overwhelming odds. Alamo was expected to join Orozco in front of Juarez before daybreak and assault the city, but apparently the revolutionists' plans have been changed, for up to 8 a. m. there was no sign of an attack.

In the meantime Gen. Navarro's command of 700 men which has been campaigning around Chihuahua city, is reported making forced marches overland to the relief of the beleaguered city. Should Navarro succeed in getting in Juarez with his forces, the insurgents will have their work cut out for them, for Navarro's men are veterans seasoned by hard campaigning.

Indeed, Mexican officials are now confident that the city, protected by 600 soldiers, is now safe from assault, and that the campaign of the young revolutionist leader will soon end in his defeat and the scattering of his followers.

All of this, however, is promised on the belief that Gen. Navarro will succeed in reaching the Rio Grande with his troops. Had Orozco succeeded yesterday yesterday in holding Rabago's reinforcements holding could have saved Juarez from the hands of the revolutionists. But with his troops within the city, Orozco and Alamo now have before them 600 well armed regulars, and Juarez, if it falls, will, it is believed, fall only after bloody fighting.

### MACHINE GUNS PLACED

Col. Rabago's Armament Manned for Additional Defence of Juarez—Scouts Sent Out.

El Paso, Tex., Feb. 6.—Two machine guns brought by Col. Rabago, together with a small mountain howitzer, have been placed in position and manned for the additional defence of Juarez.

Scouting parties are making excursions a short distance from Juarez. It is known that Orozco, is within four miles of the city.

Gen. Navarro, in command of 700 federals, consisting of infantry and cavalry, left Gallego for Juarez on Friday. Gallego is 141 miles south of Juarez on the Mexican Central. The column is marching overland.

McCURDY ASTOUNDS HAVANA

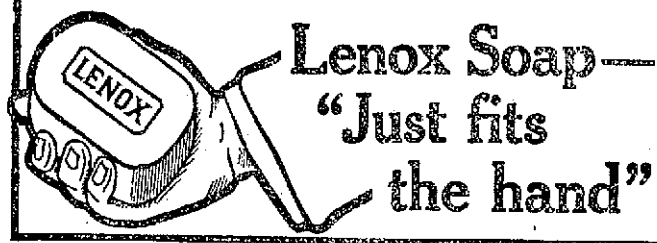
Havana, Feb. 6.—With practically

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The entire population of Havana looking on, J. A. D. McCurdy, who recently nearly crossed the Straits of Florida in a biplane, made a magnificent flight yesterday from the drill grounds at Camp Columbia at Camp Columbia to Morro Lighthouse, which he circled, and returned. A few minutes after nine o'clock McCurdy's aeroplane was seen topping Principe Hill at a high altitude. It was coming at great speed against a stiff easterly wind. Passing over San Lazaro hospital, the aviator left land behind and swept across the shallow outer bay at an altitude of 300 feet straight for Morro. He circled the lighthouse fifty feet above the lantern. Swinging to the left, McCurdy darted seaward, then wheeled again, circled the tower once more and straightened out on the return course. The official time for the round trip was 16 minutes, 12 seconds. The estimated distance was eleven miles. The machine used by McCurdy was a 50-horse power biplane, and the prize for the flight was \$3000 offered by the city.

This, however, is open to competition until Feb. 28. A great reception was given McCurdy last evening at the Alhambra theatre. Vice President Alfredo Zayas presided and presided McCurdy with a purse of \$5000 given by the Havana Post for his flight from Key West to Havana.

MIDDLEWEIGHT CHAMPIONSHIP Will Be Contested at Bout in Manchester This Week.

The Queen City A. C., of Manchester, offers its patrons one of the best shows scheduled of the many offered for the week by the numerous clubs throughout the country. All New England is interested in the contest between Tommy Sullivan and Bill McKinnon to the middleweight championship of New England.

## The Cake That Billy Bought

A Valentine Story

By MARTHA J. TOWNE

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The door of the Woman's Exchange swung open and closed behind Billy Delwin's broad back. For an instant he hesitated, besieged by a battery of feminine eyes. Then he strode forward to the counter, where under glass cases were arranged handsome and toothsome cakes of every description and variety.

With his hat under his arm he stared down at the cakes with a calculating eye. "I want a plum cake," he said. "Wait a minute." And the woman disappeared, presently returning with a large box, which she opened and disclosed under tissue paper wraps a huge round cake.

Billy's eyes sparkled dangerously as he surveyed the beautiful cake. "I'll take it," he said quickly. Then he added a question, "Is it plum cake?" "Yes, indeed, and perfectly delicious," said the woman enthusiastically.

They it was that he summoned courage to lean forward and ask a question in a low voice, "Is it against the rule to mention the name of the member who baked this cake?"

The cash register clanged noisily as the woman turned away. "Against the rules," she said crisply.

"May I inquire," persisted Billy hesitatingly, his voice still lower, "if this cake was baked—er—by an old lady?"

The attendant smiled shrewdly over her shoulder. "It's against the rules to mention ages also," she returned. "Once in the street he boarded a car and was conveyed with more or less rapidity to his bachelor rooms. He took the cake from its box.

"I dunno. That's more like it than any of 'em," he muttered as he went to add to his list of things to be removed from his library table. Then he laid several clean white towels on the polished surface and, bringing from various places of concealment a number of large round frosted cakes, he placed



"I've got you now, PHYLLIS GILES," then in a row on the table. There were seven in all.

"Looks like a cake sale," he grinned somewhat anxiously. "I hope none of the chaps happens in. They'll think I'm all off if they see this present; but, by George, I'll find her if it takes the rest of my life!"

He walked around the table, surveying his toothsome burden with a critical eye. Of all the cakes he decided that his last purchase was the handsomest, the lightest and the most deliciously fragrant.

"Now for a taste," he said, plunging a silver knife in the first one. The slice was clean and yellow and full of currents. Billy winked his nose sniffing and laid down the slice.

"Phyllis never made that one," he commented. "Her cakes always have raisins in. Now for the next one!"

One after another he tried the different cakes, sniffing, tasting, examining and shaking his head dubiously after each operation.

At last he came to his latest purchase, the Valentine cake, and if he watched him closely they might have observed that his cheeks paled and his firm lips were compressed into straight colorless lines. Suddenly he groaned and laid down the knife.

"If this one shouldn't be hers?" he muttered desperately, and then, with an upward fling of his handsome head, he plunged the knife into the cake near its edge, careful not to disturb the decorations that adorned the top. He drew out a piece, yellow and rich and crumbly, full of great raisins and they decks of spice.

With the air of one participating in some great ceremony Billy Delwin ate the cake slowly, enjoying to the full its elusive flavor. When he had finished he laid down the knife and sat down in a big leather covered chair, the color flooding his tanned cheeks.

"I've found her! I've found her at last!" he cried exultantly. "Nobody in the world ever baked that cake except Phyllis Giles! She made one last year for her Valentine party—same size, same flavor, same decoration—and you can't fool me, sir!"

He turned the cake slowly around and viewed it from all sides. "Her hands made it, she touched it, and she placed all those little hard red hearts about the edge, and not one of those hearts is harder than Phyllis' own

heart or she would never have hidden herself away from me in this manner. As if Mr. Giles' failure and suicide could make any other difference to me than to feel more tenderly toward her! If nothing had happened or if Phyllis had not hidden away after it was over we should have been married by this time instead of my following up the only clew I ever could get—that she had come to New York and was baking cakes for the Woman's Exchange! I've bought plum cakes from every exchange in the city, I believe, until the women look on me with suspicion." He sat for a long time in silence, and then he arose and bundled the cakes into their boxes.

The last purchase he wrapped carefully and replaced in its box. Then he got into his overcoat, picked up his hat and with the cake under his arm he sought the street. Presently he was once more standing before the counter in the Woman's Exchange.

The tea tables were empty now, and there was no one around save the stern visaged woman who had waited upon him earlier in the afternoon.

"Will you kindly break your rule and tell me the name of the young lady who made this cake?" he asked with the keenest anxiety in his deep voice. "It is impossible," said the woman primly.

"Would you forward a letter to her if I should write one?" pleaded Billy. "Certainly not." And her shocked expression was the first glimmer of humor that Billy had seen in the dull fabric of this wearisome chase after the girl he loved.

"Will you call her on the telephone and allow me to talk with her?" persisted Billy. "Really, madam, you will be making two people very happy."

"I could not do that either. I am very sorry, sir, but it seems to me if Miss Giles really wanted to see you she would not withhold her address." The woman flushed with vexation at the slip she had made in thus revealing the name Billy had been longing to hear.

"It is Phyllis, then?" he cried triumphantly. "I knew that cake. Nobody in the world can make a plum cake like Phyllis," he explained with enthusiasm. "The moment I tasted it I knew."

The harsh face softened a little. "Her cakes are different from the others," she said judiciously. "She said once that she could make cakes better than anything else in the world, and so she thought that was the thing she ought to do to gain a livelihood."

"Bless her heart!" muttered Billy under his breath, knowing well that if he had his own way that Phyllis' dainty fingers should never bake a cake in the world unless it was for some special treat like St. Valentine's day.

"Do you know what day tomorrow will be?" he demanded suddenly.

The woman stared. "Valentine's day, of course," she said, busying herself with the wares in the glass case.

"Well, that's the day when separated sweethearts are reunited, you know," blurted Billy sheepishly. "Seems to me if I could help any one along in that way I'd do it!"

"It isn't part of the business," said the woman impatiently. "Really, sir, I'd like to help you out, but I simply cannot divulge the names of our members."

"Very well, madam," cried Billy grimly. "I'll find her without your help, and when I do you'll lose the best cake maker in your membership!" The door closed noisily behind him, and the woman stared after him for a brief moment. "I wonder," she muttered, softly—"I wonder if it would have done any harm to have told him; he had a good face and he seemed so much interested, and, just as he said, tomorrow is Valentine's day."

In the street Billy paused for a moment and looked up and down. Suddenly a little black powned form emerged from the crowd and paused for an instant before the door of the exchange, and then laid a tentative hand on the knob.

Billy Delwin was beside her in an instant.

"Phyllis!" he cried sharply. "I've got you now, and you can't lose me again!"

She uttered a little frightened cry and turned a white face up to his. "Oh, Billy, Billy!" she gasped. "Where did you come from?"

"I just came out of this exchange, where the hearts of the attendants are harder than the little red hearts on your Valentine plum cake, for they would not divulge your address, though I begged almost on my knees. But I've got you now, Phyllis Giles! Don't you dare enter that ogre's den again!"

He drew her trembling form close to him, and they stood in the shadow of the doorway, her slight form leaning against him.

"How did you know, Billy? How did you find me out?" asked Phyllis after a little silence.

Billy told her of his quest for the cakes, of the slight clew he had followed and of his purchase that night of the Valentine plum cake, which he recognized as her handiwork.

"Darling," he whispered after it had been told, "tomorrow is St. Valentine's day. You have baked this cake, and on it you have asked the question, 'Will you be my Valentine?' Now, I bought that cake and take it upon myself to answer that question. I will be your Valentine under one condition."

"What is that?" asked Phyllis. "That you will admit that you're not sorry that I bought the cake."

"Sorry!" echoed Phyllis joyfully. "Why, Billy, I was thinking of you when I made it, and I splashed so many tears over the little red hearts that they bled, and I had to replace them with others. Billy Delwin, I thought you'd never come!"

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### Louise Collet and the Fever.

Louise Collet, the French poet, novelist and general writer, was born at Aix in Provence, in 1810. She was better known in life than to posterity, not only by her writings, but from various little incidents with which she was connected. One of the most trying was when she intended to winter in the island of Ischia, in the gulf of Naples. No sooner was she established in this sea girt "paradise" than an epidemic broke out. The people thought it must be the stranger who had brought the trouble. She was threatened and narrowly escaped death by the devotion of a friend who got her away in a yacht. Strange as it may seem, when the "fever" music had left the island the fever disappeared.

The Illinois hen that laid an egg shaped like an apple is out of her half-wick. She should cross over into the apple country of Missouri.

Surely it should add something to the uplift that the year 1911 has fifty-three Sundays.

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## DIRECT VOTE FOR SENATORS

It Means Merely a Second House, Says Lodge

### HE OPPOSES ANY CHANGE

Adoption of Resolution May Easily Lead to Destruction of Equality of States in Senate—Proposal to Take Away From United States Power to Protect Its Own Citizens in Exercise of Their Rights

Washington, Feb. 7.—Senator Lodge of Massachusetts, who was recently re-elected to the United States senate after a bitter struggle, made a sharp attack on the resolution providing for the direct election of senators. His colleagues listened attentively while he presented a vigorous argument for the retention of the present method of election to the upper house.

"I have never exaggerated the significance of the alteration proposed in regard to the election of senators of the United States," said Lodge.

"Reduced to its simplest form, an amendment providing for the choice of senators by direct popular election is merely a proposition to convert the senate into a second house of representatives, with two congressmen-at-large from each state, who are to be called senators and to hold office for six years. The only difference between these senators and the members of the house would be in the size of the constituency and in the greater length of the term.

"It may easily be the first step in a radical change which will lead to the destruction of the equality of the states in the senate, and to the consequent consolidation of the government, but as it stands in itself and by itself, it merely substitutes congressmen at large for senators."

"This proposition is to take from the United States, by striking out from the first paragraph of section 4 everything relating to the election of senators, all power to regulate the time and manner of holding senatorial elections. Not content with this, the resolution goes on to give affirmatively all control over the time, place and manner of electing senators to the legislatures of the states.

"This change is not an alteration in the mechanism of the system. It strikes at the very foundation of the national government. It is now proposed to put the United States government, so far as the election of senators is concerned, at the mercy of the states. It is proposed to take from the United States any power to protect its own citizens in the exercise of their rights, no matter how great the need might be for such protection.

"If this amendment should become a law twenty-three states, including perhaps only a minority of the population, could at any moment arrest the movement of the government and stop all its operations.

"To change the mechanism of choosing senators, and presidents, or representatives is a serious matter, requiring careful consideration, but this new proposition strikes at the very root of the national government.

"To call such a scheme as this progress is a mockery. It is retrogression and reaction of an extreme kind. If adopted, it would carry the government back to the controversies and the struggles out of which the constitution was born, and which beset and endangered the infancy of the United States."

### HAS TUBERCULAR MALADY

Rumor in Connection With Popular German Crown Princess

Berlin, Feb. 7.—Intense disappointment has been caused in Germany by the necessity of breaking off the crown prince's sojourn in the Far East. His projected visits to the courts of China and Japan were expected to produce substantial political results for Germany.

One story in connection with the cancellation hints of a disquieting state of health of the crown princess, who is spending the winter in Egypt. It has been rumored in Berlin for some time that the popular princess is suffering from some tubercular malady which necessitates her residence in a southern climate for an indefinite period.

### Third Attempt at Suicide

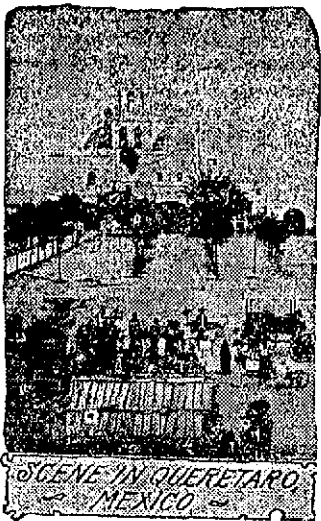
Brockton, Mass., Feb. 7.—Frederick Ahnis, 27, a carpenter, attempted suicide by shooting in the head because a married woman, several years his senior, disdained his affections. He sent a bullet through the top of his head and was taken to a hospital. It is the third attempt at suicide Ahnis has made within a year.

### Gas Kills Two Men

Haverhill, Mass., Feb. 7.—Gas asphyxiation caused the death of Arthur C. Vincent, 51 years old, and Frank Goulet, 58, whose bodies were found in their room in a lodging house. They had evidently failed to turn off the cook of a gas heater properly before going to bed. Both were shoe workers.

## MEXICAN SCENES

The Revolt Against Diaz Attracts World's Attention



### REBELS ARE RETREATING

Outgeneraled by Federals, Who Are Fortifying Juarez

El Paso, Tex., Feb. 7.—Couriers sent out to ascertain the plans of General Orozco, the revolutionary leader, returned here with the report that the insurgent army had withdrawn from the vicinity of Juarez and was in retreat westward, apparently having given up the attempt to storm the city, which the rebels had already proclaimed the capital of the provisional government.

Martial law was proclaimed throughout Ciudad Juarez by Colonel Robaga, leader of the federal reinforcements, which arrived there after cutting their way through the revolutionary forces, headed by Orozco. Active preparations were at once begun for a conflict with the besieging insurgents. Robaga was hailed everywhere as the savior of the city.

## TREATY MESSAGE BY GOVERNOR FOSS

Asks Legislature to Urge Congress to Act on Reciprocity

Boston, Feb. 7.—Governor Foss sent a special message to both branches of the legislature, urging immediate passing of resolutions memorializing congress in behalf of Canadian reciprocity.

The governor declares that the people of the commonwealth have declared themselves in favor of reciprocity. He declares that it is the duty of the legislature to show the people of the United States that Massachusetts stands for extending our trade relations with Canada. The governor also declares that by the policy of trade treaties the United States will become the arbiter of world peace.

### APPROPRIATIONS HUNG UP

Senators Kill Bill Giving Bay State Governor Right to Probe

Boston, Feb. 7.—The senate, by the votes of fourteen Republicans, blocked the Walker order which would give to Governor Foss the right to employ experts to investigate the state departments and institutions.

This action took place after a brisk debate lasting several hours, which would have resulted in a straight party line-up had not Senator Tinkham started an insurgent fight which brought his vote and that of Senator Nason over to the Democrats.

The real situation is coming when the matter goes back to the house for concurrence. There Speaker Walker will take his own stand again and he has votes enough to hold the senate bill up. Then will follow a committee on conference. Meanwhile Foss will get no experts and the state appropriations are effectively hung up.

### FOR FAILURE TO WED

Stenographer Brings Suit For \$50,000 Against Boston Lawyer

Boston, Feb. 7.—Many prominent attorneys who visited the offices of the law firm of Sprunt & Kendall may be summoned to testify at the trial of the breach of promise suit of Miss Mildred M. Elliott, formerly employed by the firm as stenographer, who is suing Fay B. Kendall, the junior partner, asking \$50,000. The suit was filed yesterday.

Kendall is considered a man of means. He denies all Miss Elliott's allegations.

### Not a Basis for Circulation

Washington, Feb. 7.—The treasury department bill prohibiting the use of Panama canal bonds as security for national bank notes was passed by the senate. It has not been acted upon by the house.

### Mylius Appeals in Libel Case

London, Feb. 7.—Edward Mylius, who was found guilty of criminal libel against King George and was sentenced to one year's imprisonment, has lodged an appeal against the judgment.

## WILL CONTEST IS EXPECTED

Housekeeper Gets Vast Estate of Lowell Man

### RELATIVES ARE CUT OFF

Get Comparatively Small Sums From Former Mayor Fifeild, Who Left Fortune of Upward of \$650,000—Friends of Deceased Claim He Was Somewhat Mentally Unbalanced and Hint at Undue Influence

Lowell, Mass., Feb. 7.—Mrs. Dora A. Chase, aged 50, for the last six years housekeeper of the late George W. Fifeild, ex-mayor of Lowell and head of the George W. Fifeild Lathe Engine company, has been made executrix of the will of the deceased, and a beneficiary under it to the extent of upwards of \$500,000.

The will was filed for probate in the Cambridge court yesterday afternoon. The sum bequeathed to Mrs. Chase is seven times as large as the amount designated by the testator for his two sisters, Mrs. Fannie Wilson of Westworth, N. H., and Miss Abbie Fifeild of Belmont, N. H., who are to receive \$70,000 jointly. Mrs. Chase and Fifeild's two sisters are the only personal beneficiaries in the will.

The will sets aside, beyond the three personal bequests, \$20,000 for the St. John's hospital at Lowell. The Lowell general hospital is to receive the same amount, while \$50,000 is to go to Grace Universalist church. No provisions are made for the three nieces of the deceased and his four cousins.

That the comparatively small amount given to the sisters of Fifeild will result in a contesting of the will by the latter is the general impression among close friends of the family.

Personal friends of the deceased have claimed he was somewhat mentally unbalanced within the last year. It is declared that Fifeild, owing to the failure of his mind and his suffering shortly before death, was not in a sound state of mind when the will was made.

A further ground on which it is claimed that the will may be contested is that of undue influence on the part of Mrs. Chase. The charge is made that Mrs. Chase carefully guarded Fifeild in his last illness to the exclusion of his relatives. On no fewer than three occasions Miss Abbie Fifeild, the sister of the deceased, was denied access to him.

The body of the will sets aside \$50,000 for Mrs. Wilson and \$20,000 for Miss Fifeild. In the codicil annexed to the will Mrs. Dora A. Chase is mentioned for the sum of \$50,000.

The salient feature of the will is, however, not expressed in figures. The codicil further provides that Mrs. Chase be residuary legatee.

Friends of Fifeild estimated that his estate was valued at more than \$650,000. The public bequests and the sums intended for the two sisters, made a total of \$115,000. The \$50,000, and the residue of the estate, specified for Mrs. Chase, would, therefore, be upwards of \$500,000. Added to this was the fact that Mrs. Chase was to be executrix.

Fifeild died Jan. 30. He was mayor of Lowell for two successive terms from 1893. He was married twice, but had no children. About six years ago Mrs. Chase became his housekeeper. During all this time she held aloof from all the neighbors. Little was known about her and she was very uncommunicative.

### BROTHERS GO TO PRISON

Crawfords Get Three Years For Wrecking Philadelphia Bank

Philadelphia, Feb. 7.—Pleading guilty to charges of wrecking the American Trust company of this city, J. K. Crawford and J. S. Crawford, brothers, and vice president and secretary-treasurer, respectively, of the institution, were each sentenced to three years in the county prison and fined \$500.

The term of imprisonment is dated from May 25 last, when the Crawfords were committed to jail in default of \$10,000 bail. The books of the company showed worthless loans amounting to \$338,000.

### FIRST UNDER NEW LAW

White Slaver Convicted and Sent to Prison For Long Term

New York, Feb. 7.—Samuel Rubin, a sallow-faced youth of 22, was sentenced to not less than ten years, nor more than seventeen years and six months' imprisonment and a fine of \$1 in the court of general sessions. Rubin is the first person convicted under the new white slave law, which makes it a felony for a man to subsist on earnings of women of the underworld.

### Taft Finds Berth For McKinlay

Washington, Feb. 7.—Representative McKinlay, a member of congress from California, who failed of re-election, was nominated by President Taft to be surveyor of customs for the district of San Francisco.

## SPEAKS AGAINST LORIMER

Burton Takes an Opportunity to Say Something For Cullom

Washington, Feb. 7.—A defense of Senator Cullom of Illinois formed the most striking part of a speech made in the senate by Senator Burton of Ohio, in opposition to the report of the committee on privileges and elections by which Senator Lorimer of Illinois was exonerated from the charge of obtaining his seat by means of bribery.

The reference to Cullom, who is Lorimer's colleague, was called out by a statement made by Senator Bailey of Texas. Speaking of the existence for years of a "jack-pot" fund in the sessions of the Illinois legislature, Bailey, who supports Lorimer, said that the means used to elect Lorimer were the same as employed in the election of Cullom.

### RARE TREAT FOR HAVANA

McCurdy Circles Morro Lighthouse and Receives \$5000 Purse

Havana, Feb. 7.—With practically the entire population of Havana looking on, J. A. D. McCurdy made a magnificent flight from the drill grounds at Camp Columbia, thence over the city to Morro lighthouse, which he circled, and returned.

The official time for the round trip was 16 minutes, 12 seconds. The estimated distance was eleven miles. The machine used by McCurdy was a 50-horsepower biplane, and the prize for the flight was \$3000 offered by the city. This, however is open to competition until Feb. 28.

A great reception was given McCurdy at the Alhambra theatre. Vice President Zayas presided and presented McCurdy with a purse of \$4000 given by the Havana Post for his attempted flight from Key West to Havana.

## LEGAL TANGLE OVER CRIPPEN ESTATE

Famous Case May Have to Be Gone Over Again in Court

London, Feb. 7.—A unique tangle has been reached in the legal battle over the disposition of the estate of Dr. H. H. Crippen, who was executed for the murder of his wife.

Counsel for Ethel C. Leneve, the typist for love of whom Crippen is said to have killed his wife, and to whom practically all of the estate is devised, declared that the whole case might have to be retried.

This, he said, might be necessary if Mrs. Crippen's relatives continue their efforts to miss Miss Leneve as executor. It would be necessary, he contended, to prove willful murder and the certificate of Crippen's conviction would not be admissible.

### GIRL LISTENED TO ABUSE

Railway Company Must Settle Because of Torment Endured

St. Paul, Feb. 7.—Because Miss Rose Chadima, a South St. Paul girl, was forced to listen to abusive language while riding on a car, Judge Pinehout has directed the street railway company to pay \$300 damages to her. The case grew out of the failure of the conductor to eject the man who annoyed her.

Otto Vabrath, recognizing Miss Chadima as the daughter of a man with whom he had had dealings, took a seat beside her and began to upbraid her.

Several passengers appealed to the conductor, who refused to interfere. Miss Chadima was compelled to listen to the abuse all the way to South St. Paul. She sued for \$500.

### DISAPPEARED FROM BOAT

Superintendent of Sanitarium Was Probably Lost at Sea

Attleboro, Mass., Feb. 7.—Dr. Charles C. Nicola, superintendent of the Attleboro sanitarium, is reported to have disappeared while a passenger on the steamer Oceana, which arrived in New York from Bermuda yesterday.

Word was received by his brother, D. K. Nicola, business manager of the sanitarium, to the effect that Dr. Nicola was seen by his companion on the voyage, H. H. Curtis of East Greenwich, yesterday morning, but that later, when an attempt was made to locate him he could not be found.

### May Mean End of Express Banks

New York, Feb. 7.—The first step in what is regarded as a general move of the big express companies in relinquishing the banking field came with the transfer of the business of the Wells-Fargo & Co. bank of New York to the National Park bank.

### Old Editor's Sudden Death

Norwich, Conn., Feb. 7.—Albert A. Sparks, managing editor of the Norwich Bulletin, died suddenly of apoplexy at his home here. Sparks had been connected with The Bulletin for forty-five years. He was 65 years old.

## KING OPENS PARLIAMENT

Queen Sits Beside Him During the Ceremony

### SPEECH FROM THE THRONE

But Slight Reference to Foreign Affairs—Proposals to Be Submitted For Settling Relations Between Peers and Commons—Suffragettes and Laborites Express Dissatisfaction, While Nationalists Are Pleased

London, Feb. 7.—King George and Queen Mary for the first time in their reign proceeded in state yesterday afternoon from Buckingham palace to Westminster, where the king read the speech formally opening parliament from the throne in the house of lords. During the ceremony the queen was seated at the side of the king.

Though the day was dark and chilly, an immense throng was gathered in St. James' park and in Whitehall, where the gorgeous procession passed. Other thousands surrounded the parliament buildings. The king and queen rode in the gilded state coach drawn by eight cream-colored horses. The king wore a field-marshal's uniform.

An escort of life guards preceded the state coach and yeomen of the guard followed. Regiments of the guard lined the route and as the procession moved on the artillery regiments fired the royal salute. The crown and sword of state were borne from St. James' palace to parliament in the royal carriage under the escort of the guards.

The house of lords was packed when the imperial procession entered from the robing room at 2.30 o'clock. A number of peeresses had seats on the floor with the peers. The bishops and ambassadors with their wives occupied seats at the left of the throne.

Speaker Lowther and as many of the members of the house of commons as could, crowded the floor and stood in the aisles. All the officers of state, in regalia, escorted their majesties into the chamber and were grouped around the throne during the ceremony. The Earl of Beauchamp, first commissioner of works and public buildings, bore the sword of state before the king.

The king's speech from the throne was brief and colorless. It opened with a filial reference to the death of King Edward. The only references to foreign affairs were a mention of the fact that negotiations had been opened with Japan for a new commercial treaty, and an allusion to the friction in Persia over the disturbance of British trade routes. A casual expression of interest in the approaching imperial conference was made.

Only two proposed legislative measures were mentioned specifically. "Proposals" said the king, "will be submitted without delay for settling the relations between the two houses of parliament, with the object of securing an effective working constitution." Legislation would also be had, the king said, to provide insurance against sickness and unemployment.

In making the declaration of faith, King George used for the first time the amended form adopted at the last session of parliament, which omits the traditional reference to the Catholic church which was offensive to the adherents of that faith.

From the paucity of the legislative proposals, it is evident that the government has determined to allow nothing beyond necessary financial measures to interfere with action on the veto bill. The suffragettes are already threatening a renewal of their activities because they were not mentioned in the speech, and the laborites are much put out for the reason that it contained no promise of a bill dealing with the hated Osborne judgment. That the Nationalists are satisfied with their position was indicated when at a meeting held late in the day they decided not to introduce any private bills during the present session.

### PLEDGED TO RECIPROCITY

Caucus of Democrats Assures Passage of Treaty in House

Washington, Feb. 7.—Favorable action by the house on the Canadian reciprocity agreement was assured last night when the caucus of Democratic representatives formally pledged the party to vote for the agreement.

The resolution endorsing the Canadian agreement was carried, 91 to 22. On motion of Mr. Clark of Missouri, the action of the caucus was made unanimous.

### Croker Must Pay Alimony

New York, Feb. 7.—Fire Chief Croker is required to pay his wife \$300 a month alimony and a counsel fee of \$400 pending her suit for separation, according to a decision rendered by Justice Gerard of the supreme court.

### Moors Kill Four Europeans

Paris, Feb. 7.—A dispatch from Melilla states that four Europeans traveling from Oran, Algeria, to Melilla were assassinated and decapitated by Rif tribesmen on Jan. 29.

## IRON ORE MINES FOUND

Preparations For Development Being Pushed on Large Scale

St. Paul, Minn., Feb. 7.—Immense bodies of iron ore, of higher grade than Mesabi, have been discovered in a solid mass 300 feet by 300 feet on the surface, and known to have a depth of 1000 feet, and several other nearby bodies, at Ironton, on the Cuyuna range in Minnesota. The principal body is on the Weyerhaeuser property and a royalty arrangement has been made which will further enrich that many times millionaire corporation.

This discovery as well as four other new properties belong to Independent Minerals, and preparations for development are being pushed on a large scale. This will undoubtedly have a great bearing on the price of iron, as the product just found far exceeds in quality that of the United States Steel Corporation, now operating on the famous Vermilion and Mesabi ranges. The town of Ironton, which was not in existence four months ago, now boasts of several thousand population.

### NO EXPLOSION ON LAUNCH

Black Powder Found on the Whistler When She Is Raised

New York, Feb. 7.—The launch Whistler, which was sent to the bottom of the North river by the disastrous explosion in Communipaw, was brought to the surface yesterday afternoon by a wrecking tug.

All doubt as to the presence of black powder on the scene at the time of the disaster was removed by the finding of three cases of this explosive in the vessel's bow. Near the unbroken powder cases were found 200 pounds of dynamite in four cases. The dynamite was intact.

The timbers of the boat were sprung from stem to stern and there was a large hole in the stern. The boilers and machinery were intact, however.

Prosecutor Garven, who is conducting the investigation, said that he was satisfied that there had been no explosion on the Whistler and that she had been sunk by the explosion on the Katherine W., nearby.

## AIRMEN'S DEATH LIST REACHES FORTY-TWO

German Army Lieutenant the Latest Victim of Aeroplanes

Berlin, Feb. 7.—Lieutenant Stein of the German military aviation service was instantly killed while making a flight over the military aviation field at Doberitz. The aeroplane dropped from a height of sixty-five feet. The lieutenant's skull was crushed.

The total death roll in heavier-than-air machines is now forty-two, if Cecil Grace, who was lost in the English channel on Dec. 23, is included in the list. Of these forty-two, thirty-eight have fallen to death in motor aeroplanes, and four have been killed in gliders. Thirty-one were killed the past year.

### PLEADS NOT GUILTY

Shields Is Formally Charged With the Murder of Kenney

Warren, N. H., Feb. 7.—J. W. Shields of Philadelphia, who is charged with murdering Christio Kenney of Lancaster, pleaded not guilty when given a hearing before Justice Williams in the local police court.

Immediately after Shields had pleaded, the hearing, which was a formality, was continued until next Saturday, and Shields was removed to the county jail at Woodsville.

The Shields family is a prominent one with considerable wealth. During the past few years Shields has traveled extensively. He had a stated amount as an allowance and with this went as he pleased here and there.

### CALLED A MISDEMEANOR

Bill Before Indiana Senate Calls For Fines For "Peepers"

Indianapolis, Feb. 7.—Senator Wood has introduced a bill directed at "Peeping Thomases." It provides that it shall be a misdemeanor for anyone to enter the enclosed or unenclosed premises of another for the purpose of peering, peeking or looking into the house through the windows, or in other ways.

A penalty of not more than \$50, to which not more than sixty days' jail imprisonment may be added, is provided.

The trespass statute provides that a demand to leave the premises must be made, and not complied with, before the offender may be fined.

### Railroad Laborers Are Scarce

Mexico City, Feb. 7.—The Southern Pacific railroad has a force of about 2000 men constructing the line between the Santiago river and the city of Tepic, and employment would be given to three times this number of men if they could be obtained.

### The Weather

Albany, Wednesday, Feb. 8. Sun rises—6:57; sets—5:21. Moon sets—4:55 a. m. High water—4:15 a. m.; 7 p. m. Forecast for New England: Generally fair; east to northeast winds.

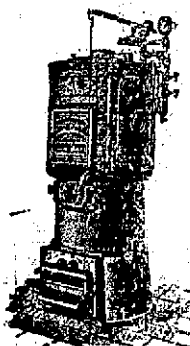
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## THE COLUMN MARKED "EASY"

A news concern styling itself "The National News Service, New York," sends The Herald a fine editorial roast on the telephone company in New Hampshire, in which it intimates that it has bought up practically all the independents. It raps Morgan and others, and suggests in a confidential way that we keep on "knocking."

Just what is the game of the National News Service is not clear, but it undoubtedly sizes up the newspapers of New Hampshire as likely to "fall" for almost anything. It appears to think that its own purpose would not be questioned.

The people in this state have been humored so much that this so-called News Association thinks the papers print anything that will assist in keeping the state in the column marked "easy."

## BIRDSEYE VIEWS

Eggstry! All about the Wilkes-Barre man who ate 144 eggs at one meal!

Dr. Pantchenko's retraction spills one of the best stories of the century, says the Boston Herald. Is a retraction from such a source conclusive?

Aviation apparently has a subtle negative influence on marital felicity. Post and Brookins have both become acquainted of late with the divorce court.

Presumably having in mind the Communipaw catastrophe, the Montrose, N. J. board of health has forbidden the use of powder puffs in barber shops.

Mayor Fitzgerald of Boston says he saved \$1,500,000 last year by not spending it. If a penny saved is a penny earned he unquestionably deserves his salary.

The Boston Globe places Montana first in the field of senatorial corruptions because of her batting average in previous senatorial corruptions. In other words, Montana is given credit for a Butte of a record.

President Lowell says that Venus and Mercury are dead, and that Mars and Earth are dying. If this is true Philadelphia, far from being behind the times, as she is cruelly represented, has it on the rest of 'em.

Both Banker Morse and Green of Greene-and-Gaynor fame have improved in health since entering the federal prison at Atlanta, yet unlike Daniel Slavin, who conceived an affection for the South, they are strangely

unappreciative of its sanitary qualities.

A new literary production is named "Hell Fire Harrison," but the prospective purchaser may designate it by his initials.

A double measure of sentiment may now be expected to attach to the lock of her quinceless lover's hair which the lass of the Flowery Kingdom wears in her locket.

Is not the charity of William L. Douglass, who has agreed to furnish coal to needy Brooklyn families, of a more practical and worthy if less ostentatious nature than that which endows libraries and universities?

Now that England has turned out super-dreadnaughts, it would seem to be up to Uncle Sam to go John Bull one better by building either some super-super-dreadnaughts or torpedo-destroyer-destroyers.

Postmaster General Hitchcock threatens a shakeup of the railway mail clerks, but they are so used to that sort of thing that it can't amount to much, says the Boston Globe. In fact, their business is mostly all sorts.

## AMONG OUR EXCHANGES

### The Shoals of Ship Subsidy

The outlook for the passage of any bill giving Federal aid to the American merchant marine is the reverse of encouraging. The Gallinger bill, which had been enlarged by the inclusion of lines to China, Japan, Australia and the Philippines, was only saved from defeat in the Senate yesterday by the casting vote of the vice president. Thirteen Republican senators, all from the west, voted against it and made the tie which the presiding officer broke. Opposition to ship subsidy under any name and guise is both partisan and sectional. The Democrats are massed against it and they always have a strong contingent of Western Republicans in alliance with them. This coalition is nothing new. It has brought every ship subsidy bill to wreck in one house or the other. When a few years ago the house passed the bill by the narrowest possible majority despite the defection of the Western Republicans, Democratic senators talked it to death by filibustering speeches until the constitutional expiration of the session.

The argument of the Western Republican blocers is that it makes no difference under what flag American products are exported so long as they are carried at the lowest rates. This, coupled with the insinuation that a Federal grant of aid would go to a shipbuilding trust, has been sufficient to keep as many as two score Western Republicans in line with the Democrats. The counter argument that Federal assistance would help bring freight rates under the American flag down to a level with those of our competitors counts for little with men who whatever other motives they may allege are in reality influenced by fear of their constituents. How far they understand their constituents is somewhat open to question, for the few western Republicans who have voted or spoken for subsidy or assistance do not appear to have suffered politically. Doubtless the foreign steamship interests, but now have almost a monopoly of our foreign carrying trade have not been indifferent spectators of the struggle in Congress, though to prove the existence of a lobby in their behalf in Washington has been found impracticable. They have a good thing which they are not going to lose for lack of exertion.

The "movement" to give Federal assistance to American shipping in foreign trade took form not long after the Civil war. For more than three decades Senator Frye of Maine was one of its most conspicuous champions, but while he has not lost his interest his place as leader has recently passed to Senator Gallinger of New Hampshire. Senator Frye is commonly understood to have felt that when some years ago American-owned ships under foreign flags were excluded from the ports of the benefits of entirely the greater part of what he and his supporters were fighting for was lost. That was in the era of the Frye-Janna bill, which contemplated giving some measure of government in this direction similar to that which in 1883, by special act, brought the old Indian line of New York and City of Paris under the American flag. They with the St. Paul and St. Louis built as equivalent tonnage, keep the American flag flying today in the transatlantic steam carrying trade. When America's share in the oceanborne

## A TIMELY TOPIC

—BY—  
RABBI STEPHEN S. WISE,  
Of New York

All Great Thinkers Believe in Equal Suffrage

WE have no democracy here, only a manocracy. I hear some men say that if women vote election betting will cease, because there will be no silent vote to figure on. And I hear others say women should by all means go to the polls—the north and the south.

These platitudes illustrate the lack of an attitude by men to a problem deeply affecting the welfare of the world.

Man has the physical brute power to deny woman the ballot, and he exercises it. It is a survival of the regime of haremism, with the dead hand of inertia weighing heavily on its side.

If you believe in a democracy you cannot escape the inevitableness of equal suffrage. All great men and real thinkers have believed in it in every age.

commerce gets even nearer to the vanishing point than it is now—and it has not far to go—the public demand may silence both partisan and sectional opposition to national assistance, but until that condition is reached it would seem that discussing subsidy bills is a good deal like plunging the sand.—Boston Transcript.

## RIVER AND HARBOR

The following notice to mariners has been issued by order of the Bureau of Lighthouses from the first lighthouse district headquarters at Portland:

Portsmouth Harbor (New Castle Light Station)—Characteristic of light changed and intensity increased February 5, 1911. It was changed from fixed white to fixed red and the illuminant changed from oil to incandescent oil vapor, without other change.

Barges Strafford and No. 19, bound for this port, are storm bound at Boston. Tug Conestoga is tied up at the Consolidation Coal company docks awaiting clearing weather.

The coasting schooners Sadie A. Kimball, Mary Langdon and William M. Walker, justly apprehensive of weather appearances, changed their anchorage from mid-harbor to snug berth near Spruce creek bridge Monday.

The barkentine Stephen G. Hart, which recently stranded at Cuttyhunk, late floated and taken to New Bedford, has been found to have lost her keel. She is discharging her deck cargo of lumber, and will be towed to New London, where the under-deck cargo will be taken out and the vessel docked.

Capt. George W. Banker of the schooner George F. Walcott, one of the oldest masters in active service, has gone to his home in Portland for his first vacation in 17 years. The vessel is now at Boston and will take no other.

be sailed to Hampton Roads by Capt. George Dudley, formerly of the schooner Edward E. Briny. She was here with coal last trip.

## Arrived Below

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Tug Conestoga, Olsen, Philadelphia towing barge Rutherford, with 1500 tons of coal to the Consolidation Coal company and another for Newburyport, first barge docked this forenoon by tug Piscataqua.

## IT'S ALWAYS BAD

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## Humor and Philosophy

By DUNCAN H. SMITH

## PERT PARAGRAPHS.

THERE is lots of fun in the world. The question is who gets it. There is where the excitement comes in.

It is when we get what's coming to us that we feel badly treated.

The average boy doesn't care what the issue is provided he can be in on the hollering.

It is easier to decide the day will be fair than it is to get the day to accept the decision.

The busy signal is a most exasperating thing to a busy man.

The more unattractive a girl is the more she finds more attractiveness uninteresting.

The man who never apologizes finds himself inundated by apologies from his friends who really hope that he may make use of them.

One capable of giving good advice is usually too busy to be overgenerous with it.

Worry over little things and they may thereby be encouraged to grow, flourish and become big things.

The bread of dependence may be bitter, but there is compensation if it comes easy.

The Common Man. Will some one pause to blow a horn. One hundred years from now To mark the day when I was born With something of a row? Will orators arise and say "The air as men saw wood And make a holiday by law? I don't know why they should."

Will future ages scorn my verse And criticize its style And say, "Perhaps it might be worse." Or waste on it a smile And sigh because their age has not A poet quite as good In all the busy scribbling lot? I don't know why they should.

I never led an army out As army to kill. I never put the foe to rout. What's more, I never will. My inclinations do not lead To fighting as a trade. Let others at the forefront bleed. I'm far too much afraid.

I never served my native land For presidential pay. Of course, I'd have you understand, If coerced a bit I say. As I am just a common guy And neither rich nor great, As years in hundred lots go by Why should they celebrate?

The Reason. "Women always fuss over the little things, don't they?" "Do you think so, Jack?" "Sure! They are crazy about them." "That explains it then." "Explains what?" "Why they pay so much attention to you."

Turn About. "That will be all," said the lawyer after heeding the witness. "Will it?" innocently asked the witness. "What more were you expecting?" "Can't I cross examine the lawyer now?"

Obnoxious. "I don't like him." "Who?" "Wilkins." "Why, is he a man with a past?" "No, but he is a man with such rapid progress that it soon will be a peach of a just."

Brake. "Hear about Jones?" "No. What about him?" "Had a stroke that paralyzed him." "You don't say! Where did it affect him?" "In the pocketbook."

The Scientist. "Doctor." "What?" "Your wife has eloped." "Good gracious! And I had just been up expensive experiment on her!"

Every Little While. "When's her birthday?" "Whose?" "Maud's." "The day she clips a year off her age. Happens about twice a year."

The Modern Maday. "I live in a madhouse." "What?" "Fact. Everybody in it is perfectly crazy about something."

Suspicious. "Does he belong to the trust?" "No." "Why doesn't he come in?" "He isn't trustworthy."

Longing. Though winter's robust charms I sing And say it is all right, I long for just a taste of spring To whet my appetite. I own that winter is the best—I do not mind its sting—But, then, enough is quite enough. So pass a slice of spring.

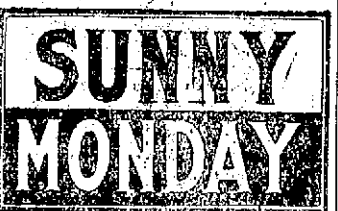
## WANT BACK SALARY

Employees of Foundry at Nowfields Go on Strike

The foundry department of James H. Roberts company, Inc., was compelled to shut down Monday morning so many of its employees refused to begin another week's work unless paid an instalment at least of six weeks' arrearages of wages. The mechanical department is still in operation.

## BUTTON BUSTERS

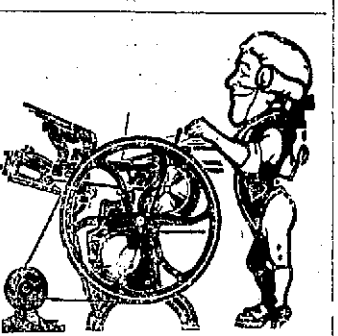
The Button Busters were organized as a branch of Mercedes aule, F. O. E., Sunday afternoon in Eagles' hall. The following officers were elected: King, William Sheritt; chief apothecary, John Shaughnessy; chief justice, John W. Dunn; lord chancellor, Franklin W. Trueman; master of ceremonies, John Logue; guards, Geo. Manley and Arthur Thomas.



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## THIS TRAIN HAD ITS TROUBLES

Off Track at Greenland and Auburn and In Collision at Massabesic

Monday certainly was a hoodoo day for train service on the Concord and Portsmouth branch of the Boston and Maine railroad, especially to the early coal freight from this city to Manchester.

This train after piling up at Greenland and blocking all train service on the main line, met with 2 more accidents before reaching its destination.

On its arrival at Auburn station the locomotive jumped the rails and there was another tie up of service on this branch. The wrecking crew

from Nashua were ordered out, but the train crew succeeded in getting the machine back on the iron before the wreckers arrived.

For the third time the train started for the Queen City, and had hardly reached Massabesic when it was in collision with the locomotive of a passenger train.

It was late at night before traffic was straightened out on this branch and though considerable damage resulted to the rolling stock not an injury occurred to any of the employees of the road.

The train from Manchester due in

## BOSTON AND MAINE RAILROAD

## "LEST WE FORGET"

TO THE PEOPLE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE:—

On October 12, 1910, Mr. Charles S. Mellen was elected President of the Boston and Maine Railroad. His first act upon his election was to send the following letter to Governor Henry B. Quincy:

Boston, Oct. 15, 1910.

To His Excellency,  
Hon. Henry B. Quincy,  
Governor of the State of New Hampshire.

Dear Sir:—  
Upon assuming the presidency of the Boston & Maine Railroad, I find pending in the courts of New Hampshire an action brought against the railroad by the attorney general in behalf of the State. This action has been brought to restrain the railroad from maintaining in effect certain rates which it is alleged are in violation of statutes in force at the time when certain leases of other roads were made by the Boston & Maine Railroad. I find also that the general belief in the State is that the railroad has raised these rates in violation of these statutes.

Whether the action brought by the attorney general can be maintained, I do not know. I do not know whether the State has the power in authorizing a lease to insist upon a condition which interferes with interstate commerce. But the Boston & Maine Railroad has received benefits in the way of leases under the authority of these statutes, and it should not accept the benefits and seek to avoid the obligations.

I understand that on certain lines there has been no increase of rates in excess of those in force at the time of the passage of these statutes, and that it is difficult to determine as to just what lines these statutes are applicable. I shall be very glad, if there is any dispute between the attorney general and our counsel upon these questions, to have them submitted to the Supreme Court at the earliest practicable moment for determination; then the question whether there have been any increases in rates above those existing at the time of the passage of the statutes referred to can be speedily determined. I shall instruct our counsel to raise no questions as to the validity or constitutionality of these statutes, and when it shall be determined what rates are unlawful, there will be no delay in ordering a restoration to the lawful basis.

With these statutes remaining in force, such a restoration will produce many inequalities and discriminations, and I believe that it will be better, in the interest of the shipping public, if the present schedule can be maintained until the whole situation can be dealt with by the Legislature upon an equitable basis. If the public is to be properly served, it is, in my judgment, essential that a legal way should be provided whereby the rates now in force may be maintained. I do not understand that any serious question has been raised that these rates are unreasonable, but the public very properly objects to any rates, whether reasonable or not, that it believes to be in violation of a statute.

The Boston & Maine Railroad has no purpose or intention of disobeying the law in this, or in any other matter. Its desire in this matter is to have determined speedily what are its legal rights and duties.

Yours respectfully,  
(Signed) C. S. MELLEN, President."

On October 20, 1910, Governor Quincy replied to President Mellen as follows:

"Mr. Charles S. Mellen,  
President Boston & Maine Railroad,  
Boston, Mass.

Dear Sir:—  
I am in receipt of your letter of the 15th instant, a copy of which I have transmitted to the attorney-general.

Your statement of the position of the Boston & Maine railroad corporation concerning the rate suit now pending in this state I regard as absolutely candid and fair, and I believe the people of New Hampshire will be ready to meet you in the same spirit and agree to a equitable adjustment which will conduce to the prosperity of both state and corporation, and make clear the way for advantages which must accrue to our state from the action your corporation has recently taken for the improvement of its physical condition and equipment.

Yours very truly,  
(Signed) HENRY B. QUINBY, Governor."

We shall follow this up with a statement of subsequent developments in connection with the Rate Case.

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this city at 6.17 p. m. was one hour and a half late on its arrival owing to the several accidents.

## BACK PAY FOR CHARLESTOWN YARD WORKMEN

The house committee on claims today report the omnibus claims bill, which has already passed the senate, left out of the document all the French spoliation claims, against which the most vigorous opposition arose in both houses of congress.

Massachusetts people have spoliation claims aggregating \$300,000, and they will now have to wait for another congress before they can hope to get recognition. Claims for back pay to employees of the Charlestown navy yard, inserted in the original bill at the instance of Senator Lodge, were left in the measure.

## BURY PEACE CONFERENCE INTERPRETER

Funeral services for Lieut. Hugo Francis Engels, who was well known as the official interpreter at the conference of the Russian and Japanese envoys at the navy yard, when peace was arranged between the two powers, were held in the chapel at 50 Lagrange street, Boston, Sunday, in pursuance of a request that had been made by Lieut. Engels the service was a simple one. The Rev. Dr. Littlefield of the Second Unitarian church of Brookline officiated. The interment was in Oak Grove cemetery, Medford.

## OBITUARY

Mrs. Julia A. Haley, wife of Otis A. Haley, died on Monday at her home, 210 Gates street, at the age of 69 years.

## CHARITY CARD PARTY

The charity card party for the benefit of the Cottage hospital will be held at Pythian hall Thursday afternoon, Feb. 9, at 3 o'clock. Candy and tea will be on sale.

## ANOTHER COHEN

Harry Cohen of the firm of Katz and Cohen, and the man of that name arraigned in police court Monday, are two entirely different persons.

## HEARING ON FRIDAY

The hearing on the Board of Public Works bill for this city, which has been referred to the Portsmouth delegation will be held on Friday at the court house.

## TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

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## KITTERY LETTER

Kittery, Feb. 7.

The Pine Hill Whist club met Monday evening with Mrs. Earl Dearborn. First prize was won by Mrs. Thomas Morrow, second by Mrs. Nellie Jackson and third by Mrs. Charles Gerry. The next meeting of the club will be with Mrs. Nellie Jackson.

The Kittery and York basketball teams will play at Grange hall Thursday evening. Dancing will be enjoyed after the games.

Mrs. Josephus Rogers, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Percival Rogers on Government street, has returned to her home in Freeport, Me., accompanied by her two children.

The engagement of Miss Pearl Bradbury of Saco, a frequent visitor at the summer home here of her uncle, Frederick A. Bradbury of Dover, to Frank L. Palmer, also of Saco, is announced.

The no-school signal was blown at the Atlantic Shore railroad power house at 7.45 this forenoon on account of the storm.

Mrs. Mary Bridges has been a guest of her daughter, Mrs. Ada Coughlin, and family in Sanford.

Mrs. Bertram F. Morse is visiting in Boston.

The estate of the late Capt. William G. Shackford at the Intervene has been sold to Boston parties.

The Rev. J. W. Gibbs of Peabody, Mass., will come to the Second Methodist church for ten days, special meetings beginning Tuesday evening, February 14.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Second Methodist church meets Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Thomas Ritchie of Commercial street.

The Hotel Brexton, formerly the Cuman House, is expected to open to the public within a few days.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union meets Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Martha A. Long.

The Ladies' social circle of the Second Christian church meets in the vestry Thursday afternoon.

The Ladies' Fancypack club today postponed its regular weekly meeting which was to have been held at the home of Mrs. James R. Philbrick, on account of the storm.

Bertram F. Moore of Williams avenue has been awarded the contract to paint new building 20, at the navy yard.

Miss Bernice Glidden of Love lane is having a three weeks' vacation from her duties at Borthwick's store in Portsmouth.

Miss Millie A. Damon, superintendent of music in the schools of Kittery and Eliot, was taken ill at the latter place Monday and was brought to her home. She will be unable to attend her duties at least for the remainder of the week, to the sorrow of her many affectionate pupils.

## KITTERY POINT

Funeral services over the body of Miss Rose A. Weeks, who died on Sunday at North Kittery, were held this afternoon at the First Christian church. Rev. Winfred Coffin officiating. Interment was in the family lot in the Church cemetery.

The M. C. Whist club met Monday evening with Capt. and Mrs. T. Buron Hoyt. First gentlemen's prize was won by C. Henry Blake, second by T. Boston Hoyt and third by E. Leroy Tobey. First ladies' prize was won by Mrs. Victor E. Ames, second by Mrs. C. Stanley Segee and third by Mrs. William A. Symonds. The next meeting of the club will be with Mrs. Segee.

On Wednesday evening the Ladies' Aid of the First Baptist church will meet with Mrs. Nellie Bryant for the annual election of officers. A full attendance is desired.

The K. F. G. Fancypack club meets Thursday afternoon with Mrs. E. Leroy Tobey.

Master Robert Cutts, who has been seriously ill with pneumonia under

the care of a trained nurse, is reported as better.

Mrs. D. A. Wasson is passing a week in Malden.

Tig Piscataqua was tied up at Cutts wharf this forenoon.

Mrs. Anna J. Southgate of Worcester, Mass., who passed last summer in town, is wintering at St. Augustine, Fla. She will sail from New York May 30 on the Cunarder Franconia for a summer abroad.

Mrs. Ada F. Foye of Brockton, Mass., formerly of this town, is visiting relatives here.

Capt. Thomas R. Ames is confined to his home by illness.

Dr. E. E. Shapleigh's sleigh was overturned this morning while attempting to turn around on Fort Hill. Dr. Shapleigh was thrown out, but not injured. One of the shafts of the sleigh was broken.

Frank T. Clarkson left today on a business trip to Augusta.

There are people who are square and upright as long as they find it not expensive.

Some people dodge by lying, and others simply lie by design.



"How does Hulda like her new place, Jane?"  
"Not very well, mum."  
"Why?"  
"She says the master and the missus quarrel, mum."  
"And she doesn't like that?"  
"Not so much that, mum, but they always shut the door so she can't hear."

Too Bad.  
"She says he played a mean trick on her."  
"Who did?"  
"Her husband."  
"How was that?"  
"She married him to reform him and he knew it."  
"Well?"  
"Well, then she found out that he didn't need it a bit."

They Generally Are Spinsters.  
"She knows all about how to manage a husband."  
"Does she?"  
"Yes."  
"I suppose she has a happy home then."  
"Oh, yes; she lives all by herself."

Bobbie's Idea.  
"Bobbie."  
"What?"  
"Pay attention here to sister."  
"No."  
"Why not?"  
"Don't owe sister no 'tention."

The Conventional Thing.  
"He was so unacquainted with business that when he got a check he didn't know what to do with it."  
"I would know."  
"Oh, you would?"  
"Yes; drop dead."

Frank.  
"You couldn't quit smoking if you wanted to."  
"I could any time."  
"Why don't you then?"  
"My wife wants me to."

A Paradox.  
"Is his credit strong?"  
"No."  
"What is the matter with it?"  
"Overexercise."

The Animals in Heaven.  
According to the Mohammedan's belief, there are ten animals in heaven. These form the following strange menagerie: The calf offered by Abraham, the ox of Moses, the whale of Jonah, the ass of Balaam, the ram of Ishmael, the ant of Solomon, the camel of the prophet Saleh, the cuckoo of Balkis, the dog of the seven sleepers and Al Bork, the animal which carried Mohammed to heaven.

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It is far easier to check an attack of Cold or La Grippe on the first appearance of the symptoms than later, when the bronchial tubes become filled, the lungs rendered sore and congested, and the system in general is upset and disordered.

As a rule it is only when these latter conditions appear that any attention is given to a cold, and at which time the attack commences to assume a more or less serious aspect and does not easily submit to treatment. Why, then, not realize this and use some discretion as regards your health?

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# SAILORS ON A WILD RIDE

Capture a Hack on Water Street  
and Smash the Toll Bridge Gate  
---Two Sailors Arrested for Taking  
Fur Coat

Two sailors from the cruiser Washington captured a hack belonging to Carl Brothers which happened to be standing unguarded on Water street, and before they got through with it they gave the police a merry chase and incidentally covered some territory at a speed that the pair of horses had never traveled before. How they ever managed to escape being overtaken in their wild ride is a mystery, but they did, and one of the offenders got away, the other being captured.

The hack was standing in front of a place on Water street late Monday afternoon when the sailors, who had been drinking more or less, espied it and immediately climbed on the box and one grabbed the reins while the other applied the whip.

Down Marcy street the pair went with a burst of speed that made everybody clear the way. All directions were the same to the sailors and they kept on straight down the road for New Castle. At the toll bridge they did not wait for the gate to be opened, but the horses crashed into it, smashing it. This threw the jockies off on the horses, but they managed to get back, and, turning the pair about, started on the hack trail.

By this time the police had been notified from a dozen different phones and they started after the sailors. The horses were kept at high speed and managed to get back and came tearing up Pleasant street before the police could head them off.

They narrowly escaped striking the lunch cart in turning from Congress into Congress street, and the horses were going at such a rate of speed that the hack was turned completely around and the spectators thought it would be overturned. Fortunately it kept on an even keel and they increased the speed as they went through Congress street. They made the turn into Vaughan street all right, but almost went over against the Langdon house. Down Vaughan street they drove at the fast speed, and turned into Deer street. They espied the depot and concluded they had gone far enough, so both dismounted. In the meanwhile Mr. Samuel Capil and Mr. Pickering, after they saw them come down Congress street, recognized their horses, and started after them in a small sleigh and arrived as the sailors were getting off the hack. One ran and managed to get away, but the other, John S. Sullivan, stopped to talk it over and he was held until the arrival of the police. The hack was not damaged, but the horses were badly winded.

The police had just got back from their cruise after the sailors late on Monday afternoon when a message was received that two sailors had taken a fur coat from the hotel De Witt. The police later located the two sailors, Lawrence Ryan and Frank Risley, on Water street, where one of the sailors was wearing the coat. They

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had been drinking and were freaked about.

While the police were busy on the hack case, Tony Corea left his beer wagon standing on Daniel street, and two sailors promptly took a shine to it, and climbed aboard and were starting for a ride when Tony arrived and gave battle and finally recaptured his gunboat.

Two women giving the names of Luther Rogers and Irene Forge, were arrested Monday afternoon and in police court today will be charged with street walking.

Monday night (there were, in addition to those above mentioned, three drunks, a marine, a soldier and a civilian on the police blotter.

## LEGISLATIVE NOTES

### Portsmouth Interested in Several Hearings This Week

The Portsmouth delegation will hold a meeting in Concord on Wednesday evening to consider the Hett bill to do away with the Board of Public Works. This is the first time the delegation has discussed the measure, and it is expected that a vote to report unfavorable will result. The delegation is opposed to a public hearing in this city for the reason that all such hearings in the past have been addressed by the same people that always appear on such occasions. The general sentiment is against the measure.

There is a hearing before the railroad committee today on the bill to discontinue the Portsmouth and Exeter railroad. From this city Messrs. F. H. Ward, F. W. Hartford and J. W. Kelley will appear for the Board of Trade and Merchants' Exchange. Mr. Ward, who is also president of the Country club, will protest in behalf of that club. Delegations from Greenland, Stratham and Exeter will also appear.

Councillor Thomas Entwistle attended a meeting of the governor and council at Concord early Monday, leaving in the morning so as to be on time. He will remain in Concord until Thursday evening.

Arrangements are being made for the annual Portsmouth night at the legislature, Feb. 15, and there promises to be a reunion that will attract many from this city.

Portsmouth will be represented at the governor's ball on the reception committee by Hon. Wallace Hacken, Dr. F. S. Towle, Mr. John W. Kelley, Esq., and Mr. John K. Bates, Esq. On the dancing committee, Mr. Harold H. Bennett, and on the invitation committee Hon. John Pender, Mr. Harry E. Daynton and Col. John H. Bartlett.

Mayor D. W. Badger, Supt. MacDougall and possibly other members of the school board, will go to Concord today to appear before the committee on education on the bill to establish a Normal school in this city. The city council stand ready to give the state the abas house building and such land as is needed, on Myrtle avenue for the purpose.

It is expected that there will not be much done this week owing to

the fact that the committees will be busy with hearings. The rate committee are expected to get down to business this week.

## OPENED WITH A PACKED HOUSE

Taylor Stock Company's Opening Performance Assures a Successful Week's Run at Music Hall.

The Taylor Stock company with Harry Moore in the lead, opened a week's stand at Music Hall on Monday evening, and played to a packed house. The first night's offering was "Pals," James Corbett's play, and his success was attested by the hearty reception given it by the audience.

The company is a well balanced one with Harry Moore in the lead, and he has an excellent supporting company, and in the presentation of last evening they were well cast. Moore had the part of Gabe Higgins and he made a decided hit with the audience in his portrayal of the character. Mr. Moore was also a very clever in his vaudeville act that he gave between acts.

The other members of the company were all clever and the piece well staged.

The vaudeville acts presented were: John McKenna sang "Moonlight" and "The Rose and You"; Louise Robinson had a pleasing act and the trio made a hit with their act.

This afternoon the company will present one of their strongest plays, "The Blind Girl," and in the evening that stirring military play, "The Reno," with Mr. Moore in the lead.

The company has been together now for 127 weeks playing for the last two years through the summer months at parks.

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## BOWLING

Two Teams But Two Points Apart—Bucks Make a Good Gain in Monday's Games—Elks Team Wins at Dover With Good Bowling.

In the Elks membership bowling on Monday there were three games played and the Bucks captured 9 points, to the Elks 6, making the score now stand Bucks 86, Bucks 81.

The matches were: Harry Mowse defeated J. M. Washburn 4 to 1.

Ernest Robinson defeated John Sanford 5 to 4.

Charles Perry defeated Ira St. Clair 5 to 0.

The scores:

Harry Mowse..... 75 85 99 259  
J. M. Washburn..... 72 90 81 243  
Ernest Robinson..... 66 60 68 194  
John Sanford..... 57 60 62 179

Charles Perry..... 97 80 87 264  
Ira St. Clair..... 72 63 83 218

The scores:

Woods..... 168 90 97 295  
McNeill..... 51 53 87 271  
Lambert..... 81 102 87 270  
Bennett..... 111 91 95 297  
Young..... 97 87 127 311

Totals..... 491 463 490 1444

Dover:

McNeill..... 95 95 86 276  
Bennett..... 85 89 83 257  
Gilles..... 92 83 96 271  
Duffee..... 81 83 76 240  
Butterfield..... 16 93 104 213

Totals..... 429 446 445 1320

## RESCUED BY BRAVE LIFESAVERS

Portsmouth, Va., Feb. 6.—Lying four and a half miles out on the southwestern side of the Diamond shoals of Cape Hatteras, the three masted schooner Harriet C. Kerlin was this morning a hopeless wreck.

The crew of seven men escaped the wreck when the vessel stranded this morning at 1 o'clock, only by the heroic efforts of the life-saving crew of Cape Hatteras and Creed's hill station, who went to the assistance in their life boats as soon as the beach patrol discovered the wrecked vessel.

The Kerlin was bound from Norfolk to Charleston with a cargo of coal. During the night the gale increased and the heavy laden vessel tossed about helplessly, great sea-breaking over her. Past the dangers of Cape Hatteras, the vessel was driven on the shoals. Her master quickly saw that he would be unable to save his vessel. Rockets were sent up, and the life-saving crew was quick to respond.

It was a long dangerous pull, but the men made it by pluck and endurance, and the well-nigh exhausted and half-frozen crew of the schooner were taken off. The shipwrecked brothers were drenched with freezing water and another hour aboard the stranded vessel would have been death for some of them. They were cared for, given dry clothes and sent to bed at the life-saving station, and will shortly be brought to Norfolk.

The weather at Cape Hatteras is threatening, and another heavy blow appears to be on the way. The stranded ship will be a complete loss and with but little more pounding she will disappear entirely.

## THE LAYMAN AND THE CHURCH

There was a largely attended meeting of the John Langdon club on Monday evening at the North Church chapel, and the members and guests listened to one of the most interesting addresses of the winter.

The speaker was Hon. Samuel E. Capen, L. L. D. of Boston, one of the best known church laymen in the New England states. His subject was "The Layman and the Church."

He handled the subject in a most entertaining and scholarly manner. He took up the condition that brought the layman into church work and told the great progress that had been made in the past years with the layman's assistance. The field of missionary work that has been broadened out and the work that has been done in this country through the Y. M. C. A. and kindred other organizations.

The address was followed by one of the regular socials at which refreshments were served.

## FUNERAL NOTICE

Funeral services of Mrs. Sarah Berry will be held at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Fred G. Merrill, 15 Myrtle avenue, Wednesday afternoon at 1 o'clock.

Friends invited.

## CARD FROM MISS ARNOLD

One Received By Father of Missing Girl May Not Be Genuine

New York, Feb. 6.—A postal card signed "Dorothy," and bearing the message, "Father, I am safe," has been received by Francis R. Arnold, father of Miss Dorothy Arnold, who has been missing since Dec. 12. Mr. Arnold declared today:

The handwriting resembled closely that of the missing helress, but Mr. Arnold is not sure that it is hers. He fears that someone is trying to play a cruel joke on him, he said.

There was no address on the postal card that would furnish a clue as to Dorothy's whereabouts, nor was there any date. The card bears a New York city postmark.

"It seems to be my daughter's writing," said Mr. Arnold, "but on close examination it does not look genuine. I believe that it is the work of some cruel crank, who has seen specimens of her script in the newspapers, and who is forging her name as a practical joke."

Portsmouth will be well represented in Concord today.

## Ladies' SUITS

We have just purchased from a manufacturing company of Massachusetts a large number of Ladies' and Misses' Suits which we are selling for

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PROPOSALS will be received at the Bureau of Supplies and Accounts, Navy Department, Washington, D. C., until 10 o'clock a. m., February 14, 1911, and Publicly opened immediately thereafter, to furnish at the navy yard, Portsmouth, N. H., a quantity of naval supplies, as follows: 500, 32½ Water tube boiler—Sch 300; Landoline. Applications for proposals should designate the schedules desired by number. Blank proposals will be furnished upon application to the navy yard office, Portsmouth, N. H., or to the Bureau, 7-1, COWIE Paymaster-General, U. S. N., 130-15, N. J. 21, Feb 7.

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## KING GEORGE OPENS PARLIAMENT

London, Feb. 6.—King George and Queen Mary, for the first time in their reign, proceeded in state this afternoon from Buckingham palace to Westminster, where the king read the speech formally opening parliament, from the throne in the house of lords. During the ceremony the queen was seated at the side of the king.

Though the day was dark and chilly, an immense throng was gathered in St. James' park and in Whitehall, where the gorgeous procession passed. Other thousands surrounded the parliamentary buildings. The king and queen rode in the gilded state coach, drawn by eight cream-colored horses, caparisoned in gold and purple. The king wore a field marshal's uniform.

As the royal party passed, the cheering was unusually hearty, as it was the first opportunity that the populace had had to express gratification over the vindication of King George by the recent libel suit against Edward D. Myles.

An escort of life guards preceded the state coach, and women of the guard followed. Five state carriages, drawn by six horses apiece, were occupied by officials of the court and nobles and ladies in waiting.

Regiments of the guards lined the route, and as the procession moved on the artillery regiments fired the royal salute. The crown and sword of state were borne from St. James' palace to parliament in the royal carriage, under the escort of the guard.

Others of state and officials of parliament received the king and queen at the royal entrance beneath the Victoria tower. The house of lords was packed when the imperial procession entered from the robing room at 2:30 p. m. A number of peeresses had seats on the floor with the peers. The bishops and ambassadors, with their wives, occupied seats at the left of the throne. In the absence of American Ambassador Reid, who is having a holiday at home, the U. S. government was represented by William Phillips, secretary of the embassy. Mrs. Phillips was with her husband.

The colonies for the first time were represented by the colonial agents-general. Lord Strathcona, high commissioner for Canada, was present in this capacity, and with him were the representatives from Africa, Australia and New Zealand. Other diplomats occupying places in the royal gallery, occupied places in the royal gallery. The women were mauve, in half mourning.

Speaker Lowther and as many of the members of the house of commons as could, crowded the floor and stood in the aisles. All officers of state in regalia, including Earl Carrington, lord great chamberlain, with eunuchs and pursuivants bearing the emblems of office, escorted their majesties into the chamber and were grouped around the throne during the ceremony. The earl of Beauchamp, first commissioner of works and public buildings, bore the sword of state before the king.

The king's speech from the throne was brief and colorless. It opened with a filial reference to the death of

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King Edward. The only reference to foreign affairs was a mention of the fact that negotiations had been opened with Japan for a new commercial treaty, and an allusion to the friction in Persia over the distance of British trade routes. A casual expression of interest in the approaching imperial conference was made.

Only two proposed legislative measures were mentioned specifically. "Proposals," said the king, "will be submitted without delay for settling the relations between the two houses of parliament, with the object of securing an effective working constitution."

Legislation would also be had, he said, to provide insurance against sickness and unemployment. In making the declaration of faith, King George used for the first time the amended form adopted at the last session of parliament, and which omits the traditional reference to the Catholic church, which was offensive to the adherents of that faith.

From the paucity of the legislative proposals, it is evident that the government has determined to show nothing beyond necessary financial measures to interfere with action on the lords' veto bill. The suffragettes are already threatening a renewal of their activities because they were not mentioned in the speech, and the laborites are much put out for the reason that it contained no promise of a bill dealing with the hated Osborne judgment.

That the nationalists are satisfied with their position was indicated when, at a meeting held late in the day, they decided not to introduce any private bills during the present session.

### GOOD WORK ON STREETS

The street department division of the Board of Public Works were busy on Monday making the travel about the city better for sleighs. When the heavy rain followed the snow of Saturday, the department, to prevent flooding sidewalks, used snow plows to clear the gutters, and with good effect, but when the cold wave struck on Saturday night and Sunday, the piles of snow thrown up were frozen, making it very bad traveling for delivery wagons.

Early Monday morning the road scraper, with four horses, was sent out, and the piles broken down, and then with a disk harrow the frozen lumps were cut up so that they would be ground down by the travel. It was a hard situation, but the street department had the business streets smooth and good traveling by night.

Don't let the baby suffer from eczema, sores or any itching of the skin. Doan's Ointment gives instant relief, cures quickly. Perfectly safe for children. All druggists sell it.

## TIMELY BREVITIES

The annual cost to Spain of its police system is nearly \$1,000,000.

Many American farmers are settling in Mexico, their numbers fast increasing.

Liverpool collects a thousand tons of refuse a day. Nearly all of it is put to some use.

Great Britain imported in the last five years wheat and wheat flour worth \$1,079,780,000.

The consumption of beer in Germany, according to official statistics, is rapidly decreasing.

In Sweden the testimony of a child under sixteen years of age will not be accepted in court.

The loss to railways in France from the recent strike amounted to \$675,000 to the roads and \$1,900,000 to the state.

Not since 1810 has there been such a disastrous failure in the European wine production as that of the past year.

Now that Monaco has got its parliament there are only two countries in the world without one—China and Morocco.

The heaviest rainfall ever recorded occurred on the isthmus of Panama, where 10.86 inches of water fell in twenty-four hours.

Bamboo poles are cheap in Japan—only 90 cents for 100 twelve-foot poles. At that rate every boy in Japan should be able to go fishing and own his own pole.

The Bolivian chinchilla is larger and more valuable than the Chilean variety. It is easily crossed with the llama, but the fur is then of much less value.

Trinity church corporation, in New York, is said to be the richest church corporation in the world. It owns ten churches and nine schools and has assets of \$15,000,000.

The estimated consumption of wheat in this country for the year is about six bushels per capita. At the present rate of increase it will be seven bushels about the year 1940.

A New York policeman picked up a five dollar bill at Forty-second street and Sixth avenue, New York, the other day, and before the day was over fifteen persons had claimed it.

Graphic mingling has been carried on in Bavaria for centuries, and the records today are as primitive as they were 200 or 300 years ago. Improvements are about to be introduced.

There is being discussed in Russian government circles a proposition for a complete representation of Russian railways in American in order to attract passengers via the trans-siberian route.

An annuity of \$1,000 a year is to be settled by the Wright brothers, aviators, upon the widow and children of Ralph Johnston, the aviator who was killed while flying for the Wrights at Dayton.

Time was when Rio Grande do Sul, in Brazil, sent 70,000 dry hides in one year to the United States. For the last year these exports had declined to 700, whereas 101,821 dry hides were sent to Europe.

An unexpected result of the Portuguese revolution was the indisposition of the animals at the Lisbon zoo. They all became ill, having been so alarmed by the bombardment that they refused to eat and drink.

Introduction of the Gregorian calendar into Russia is sought by high official Germans, who point out that the uses of the Julian calendar by Russia greatly affects business transactions and often leads to disastrous misunderstandings.

According to the Navos Vremya, the Tolstoy family refused the request of three famous Russian scientists for permission to examine and weigh the brain of Tolstoy because such a procedure would be entirely against his expressed views.

Americans are now manufacturing between 600 and 800 phonographs a month in Japan. The manufacturing plant is located near Yokohama, and the company has a capital of \$25,000. Of this 50 per cent is owned by Americans. The balance is owned by Japanese.

The Swiss federal council intends to invite all nations to a conference at Bern to revise the calendar. It is the idea to adopt an arrangement by which every year will be divided into exactly fifty-two weeks, or 364 days. Naturally there must be intercalary days. New Year's day will probably become such extra day.

The Very Rev. J. Arncliffe Robinson, D. D., dean of Westminster abbey, has been translated to the deanery of Wells, a less responsible position. Dr. Robinson attracted attention to himself a short time ago by refusing to allow the body of George Meredith to be laid to rest in Westminster abbey. He is known as a Greek scholar and has written books on theological subjects.

Close to Olga bay, not far from Vladivostok, a large settlement has been founded here in course of the next year the first iodine works in eastern Asia are to be opened. Iodine was hitherto produced from algae and seaweed which were gathered in the North sea. This seaweed was burned to ash in Norway, which were treated for pure iodine in chemical works in other countries.

Field Marshal Hermes da Fonseca, a nephew of Deodoro da Fonseca, the first president of the republic, is the eighth executive chief that Brazil has had. Though the republic was proclaimed on the 15th of November, 1889, and a provisional government was organized the same day, the constitution, which was modeled on that of the United States, was not promulgated until Feb. 25, 1891.

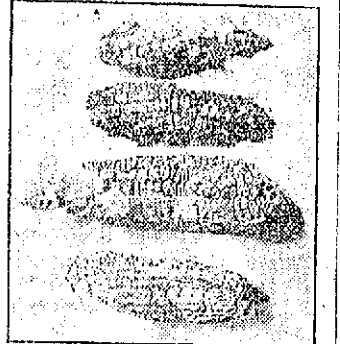
## STAGGERS INVESTIGATED.

Moldy Corn Believed to Be the Cause of the Deaths of Many Horses.

According to a bulletin issued by the Kansas State Agricultural college experimental station, blind staggers, sleep staggers, and staggers or meningitis encephalitis has occurred in outbreaks of greater or less severity in many sections of the United States. In addition, there seems to be a continual loss of horses from staggers in any locality in which much corn of an inferior grade is fed. A certain green corn mold, known scientifically as Aspergillus glaucus, is blamed.

The contents of the bulletin may be briefly summarized as follows:

Feeding horses upon immature corn badly infected with molds and worm



CORN DAMAGED BY MOLD. (From bulletin of Kansas State Agricultural college experimental station.)

corn, with its accompanying bacteria, produces typical cases of staggers. The extract of such corn is rapidly fatal to rabbits.

Aspergillus flavus, Aspergillus niger and Rhizopus nigricans (molds) have been found abundantly on the corn only in localities which lose horses from staggers.

Corn containing any molds should be thoroughly cleaned or "steamed" before feeding.

Mixing corn with bran and oats seems to lessen the danger.

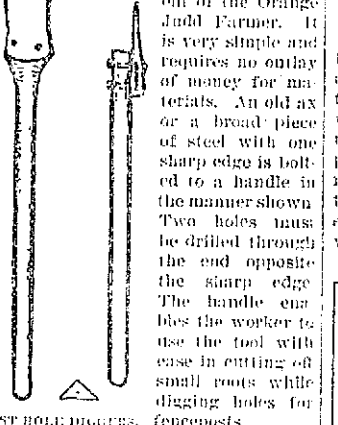
Treatment to be effective must be begun early.

During the course of investigations it was found that in some localities cases which were reported as staggers were in reality typical cases of parasitism produced in horses by the pathogenic worm in the intestines and blood vessels, the error arising from the similarity of some of the symptoms of the two diseases.

The observations have not been sufficiently extensive to determine the relation between staggers and the so-called cornstalk disease. The latter is the name popularly applied to many disorders of the digestive tract in cattle and horses, some of which are clearly not the result of any poison or toxin. It seems that neither the reasons nor the localities in which many cattle have died in the stalk fields coincide with those in which severe outbreaks of staggers in horses have occurred.

### For Digging Pest Holes.

Any farmer can easily make one of the tools shown in the illustration says a correspondent of the Orange Judd Farmer.



POST-HOLE DIGGERS, fenceposts.

One great reason why some men win on the farm is because they keep the ends tucked in. If you want to freeze on a cold winter night let the bedclothes get pulled out at the foot. Farming is just that way. Don't let the bedclothes get pulled out at the foot.

### Live Stock Notes.

The first cross animal in swine breeding makes a good feeder. It is also well known that if crossbreeding is carried further than the first cross one rapidly runs into inferior stock.

Try how the frosted bridle bits feel in your own mouth some of these crisp mornings and you'll warm them up the next time before putting them in the dumb, helpless horse's mouth.

Good bedding is not only comfortable and beneficial to the stock, but it absorbs many juices and liquids which otherwise would be lost, retaining them to be deposited on the fields as valuable fertilizers.

In winter as much variety should be furnished the pigs and cows as possible. They need some roughage. They will eat clover hay and cornstalks.

Pigs intended for market should weigh between 250 and 300 pounds at ten months of age or less. To make this weight they must be pushed from birth to market day.

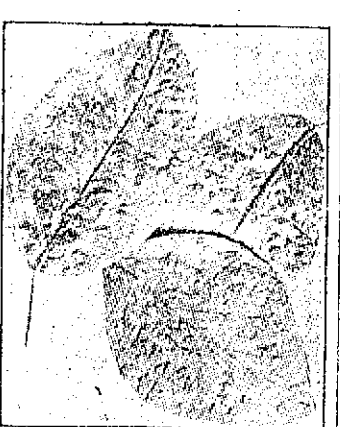
Sheep are the greatest fertilizers of all the farm stock. The old saying that the hoof of the sheep is golden is true enough. Sheep return to the soil 80 per cent of fertility from the food eaten.

## Farm and Garden

### LOOK OUT FOR APPLE SCAB.

One of the Most Destructive Diseases. Passes Winter on Leaves and Fruit.

According to a circular issued by the Virginia agricultural experiment station, scab is one of the most common and destructive diseases of apples and pears. A very similar disease affects quinces. It passes the winter season on leaves and diseased fruit, attacking the young foliage, bloom and fruit very early in the growing season. The foliage is browned and "blighted" by the disease. All fruit attacked at this stage drops or fails to develop. Later there is a secondary attack on the half



APPLE SCAB DISEASE ON LEAVES. (From circular, Virginia agricultural station.)

grown fruit, which disfigures it with gray and black blotches and "cloud" to such an extent that it renders the fruit unsalable. Spraying with Bordeaux or lime sulphur (summer strength) before the bloom opens, supplemented by one or two later treatments at intervals of from ten days to two weeks, will prevent the development of this disease. The winter wash of lime sulphur if applied for scale just before buds begin to swell aids the further treatment very materially.

### Winter Feeding of Teams.

How to feed the team most economically, especially when there is no work for them, is a good deal of a problem. If there is any place where wheat or oat straw can be economically fed it is to this team to supply a part of the filling and fiber. This, with well made clover hay and corn or timothy hay and oats, will keep them in good condition and maintain their muscles. It has been found convenient to have the grain finely ground for horses over twelve and under five years of age. The teeth of young and old horses will not readily allow them to thoroughly masticate whole grain, hence there is a loss either of grain or flesh or both. Farm and Fireside.

### Protection For the Farmhouse.

A hedge-row of cedars or spruce trees along the windward side of the driveway leading from the main road to the farmhouse offers a warmth of welcome in winter that cannot be obtained in any other way. A steel proof fence that is both useful and ornamental can be made by setting fenceposts near the evergreens and strutting barbed wires in the usual way.—Farm Press.

### FEAT OF A MISSOURI WOMAN.

An Audrain county woman raised 3,000 bushels of corn, 500 bushels of oats, ten wagon loads of pumpkins, nine children and a shiftless husband on eighty acres of land. —Centralia (Mo.) Courier.

### The Hum of the Hive.

Any bee which loses sight of the spirit of the hive and works only for private gain is considered sick, criminally insane, and the community no longer allows him to take up good space.—Elbert Hubbard.

An excellent guide of beeswax can be extracted from seemingly black and worthless combs. The market price of wax averages about 25 or 30 cents a pound. Beekeepers too often overlook the possible income from wax.

If you use modern movable frames the stored honey should be equalized among your colonies. That in frames of sealed honey should be exchanged for frames of empty comb from the light colonies.

A strong hive contains 10,000 bees in February, 15,000 in March, 40,000 in April and from 60,000 to 50,000 in May.

The bee is charged with various imaginary crimes. Its sting is formidable, but chiefly to the imprudent. It is accused of ravaging fruit, but its tongue is formed exclusively for the extraction of sweet juices, and its mandibles are unable to pierce the skin of fruit.

In New York state it is not considered safe to winter bees in single wall hives out of doors without protection,

## SOUTH PARISH ALLIANCE

The February meeting of the South Parish Alliance will be held in the Unitarian chapel at 8 a. m. after-noon, February 7, at 3:30 o'clock. Mr. Elmer S. Forbes, Secretary of the Department of Social and Public Service of the Unitarian association, will speak upon "Social Service." The public is cordially invited.

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WANTED—Salesmen ones established tea routes for wagon in Portsmouth and vicinity. Good chance to make money in business for a smart man who can furnish horse and harness. Write Arlon D. Edmond 19 Bartlett St. ch6ttr

MEN WANTED—Age 18 to 25, for men \$100 monthly, and broken men \$80 on railroads in Portsmouth and vicinity. Experience unnecessary; no strike. Positions guaranteed competent men. Promotion. Railroad Employing Headquarters—over 400 men sent to positions monthly. State age; send stamp. Railway Association, Dept. 807, 227 Monroe street, Brooklyn, N. Y. ch6ttr

## LOST

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TO LET—Light housekeeping rooms. Apply 17-12 Court Street, 1239

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FOR SALE—A two tenement house with stable. This property will make an excellent home for some one, and with privilege of renting either half. Inquire at The Herald office. 1y30tr

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Boston for Portsmouth: 7.30, 8.40, 9.00, 10.10 a. m.; 12.50, 1.30, 2.30, 4.58, 6.00, 7.30, 10.00 p. m.; Sundays, 4.01, 8.20, 9.00 a. m.; 1.15, 7.00, 7.30, 10.00 p. m.

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Portsmouth for Manchester and Concord, 8.35 a. m.; 12.24, 5.25 p. m.; Sundays, 7.35 p. m.

Concord for Portsmouth: 7.30, 10.25 a. m.; 3.30 p. m.; Sundays, 8.23 a. m.

Portsmouth for Somersworth and Rochester: 5.55, 10.17 a. m.; 2.40, 3.08, 5.37 p. m.; Sundays, 8.25, 10.50 a. m.

Portsmouth for North Conway and Intervale—10.20 a. m., 5.06 p. m.; Sundays—8.05 a. m.

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7.40, 11.00 a. m.; 2.50, 5.35 p. m.

York Beach for Portsmouth: 6.40, 9.35 a. m.; 1.00, 3.45 p. m.

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Leaves Portsmouth—8.25, 8.45, 9.30, 10.15, 11.00, 11.30 a. m.; 12.15, 1.45, 2.45, 3.30, 4.15, 4.30, 4.45, 5.40, 6.10, 10.00 p. m. Sundays—10.07 a. m.; 12.05, 12.25, 12.45 p. m. Holidays—10.00, 11.00 a. m.; 12.00 p. m.

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#### LOCAL DASHES

Who's coming?  
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There are considerable chicken pox and measles reported from Elliot.

Smoke the Warwick 10c Cigar, Ed. Brown, manufacturer, 35 Market St.  
Yale keys duplicated at short notice by patent key machine, at Horne's.

The Country club hold another of their dancing assemblies on Friday evening of this week.

Boneless and dried English cod and pollock, clams, live lobsters, halibut, mackerel, salmon, live lobsters, meats and provisions. Edward S. Downs, 37 Market St.

The police had a lively time for about an hour around six o'clock last evening. Freaking sailors kept them going.

"Had dyspepsia or indigestion for years. No appetite, and what I did eat distressed me terribly. Burdock's Blood Bitters cured me."—J. H. Walker, Sunbury, Ohio.

The officers of the towns are busy getting their accounts in readiness for the annual town meetings to be held in March. They must be in advance, as they are printed in the town reports that are distributed before the meeting.

Have your cleaning done by Robbins' power machine, whether your house is wired or not. Rugs, carpets, draperies and furniture. F. A. Robbins, 115 Market street.

A belligerent female from Boston, who arrived here late last night only to find that her husband, connected with one of the ships at the yard, had anticipated her coming and in the lingo of the street, had "beat it." She gave the crowd at the lunch cart some idea of what she would do to him when he got her hands on him.



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### RUNAWAY

#### CLEVERLY ARRESTED

Driving his horse and sleigh carefully beside a runaway horse with a delivery sleigh on Junkins avenue on Monday morning Herman A. Brackett seized the reins of the runaway animal and drove both horses from the one sleigh until the runaway was brought to a stop a quarter of a mile up the avenue. The runaway horse was owned by Ford Harrison.

While he was delivering milk the horse was frightened by boys playing on the icy roadway. Brackett, who was driving the same direction in which the runaway was going, was attracted by the close approach of the horse. When the runaway passed him he whipped up his horse until he was beside the delivery sleigh and in condition to seize the reins.

#### NORMAL SCHOOL HEARING HELD AT CONCORD

At Concord, at 2 p. m. today a delegation of Portsmouth men appear before the committee on Normal schools with reference to the establishment of such an institution in this city.

Superintendent of Schools James A. MacDougall and members of the school board are in attendance for the purpose of arguing in favor of Portsmouth as a site.

#### PERSONALS

Miss Anna Zamarchi of Russell street is ill with pneumonia.

Dr. E. M. Jewett today reaches another milestone in life's journey.

Deputy Chief Hurley was in Portland on Monday on a business trip.

Ex-City Clerk Lamont Hilton is today observing another anniversary of his birth.

W. A. Hodgdon today attended a meeting of the state county commissioners at Concord.

Mrs. Ann Gilligan of Court street who has been quite ill as a result of rheumatism is much improved.

James H. Dow today reaches another milestone in life's journey. This, however, will not deter Mr. Dow from commencing an early search for Mayflowers.

#### EAGLES HAVE A NEW ONE

The Mercedes Aerle, Fraternal Order of Eagles, have adopted the side degree of Bulfinch Busters with the following team:

King, William Sherif.  
Lord Chancellor, Frank Trueman.  
Chief Justice, William Dunn.  
Chief Apothecary, J. Shaghnessy.  
Master at Arms, John Logue.  
Inner Doct., G. Manley.  
Outer Doct., A. Thomas.  
Organist, Edwin Lamonde.

#### LOOKING FOR NEW QUARTERS

The order of Illyrians who are to vacate their present quarters in Rechabite hall will occupy the rooms of the Eagles and the Foresters are arranging with the Grand Army to hold meetings in Storer Post rooms on Daniel street.

## MILK MEN FIGHT REDUCTION

### But, It Is Understood, They Will Not Ask for An Increase In Price

The milk producers of this city and of the surrounding towns are scheduled to meet in Greenland today to formulate a campaign against the reduction of the present price of milk for the year beginning April 1.

The meeting is called by President C. A. Abbott and Clerk W. A. Hunter of the Boston Co-operative Milk Producers' association, which is the union of farmers. They were to come from Boston to Greenland this forenoon and speak to the producers in the town hall. Frank Perkins of Newbury, Mass., a director of the association, will also be one of the speakers.

Following the milk strike of last summer the price of milk was agreed on at 36 1-2 cents a can for the ten months from June to April of this

year. During the months of February and January the price has been 38 1-2 cents, but the graded scale of the other months of the year reduces the average to 36 1-2 cents. Farmers are satisfied with the prices. They will oppose a reduction, but it is said they will not demand an increase.

The creamery established at the Greenland station on the Boston and Maine railroad during the milk strike is still in existence. Most of the milk received is shipped to Boston. Since the milk strike the farmers have had no difficulty in disposing of their milk, but it is said that the contractors have not always obtained a sufficient supply.

At the meeting Professor Rasmusen of New Hampshire college talked on dairying.

### SCHOONER HAD HER SHARE OF TRIBULATIONS

Adding another eventful chapter to the already exciting tale of her long and stormy trip up the coast from the Provinces, the little British three-master Greta came into the lower harbor Monday afternoon with enough ice clinging to her sides rigging and headgear to fully substantiate Capt. Cole's story of his tussle with Arctic weather.

The Greta sailed from St. John, N. B., Dec. 23, with a cargo of shingles for Pawtucket, R. I., and after fighting her way out of the bay of Fundy ran ashore near Machiasport in a blinding snow storm.

There she laid on the rocks several days before she was floated by a tug and was towed into port, partly full of water, for repairs.

Leaving Machiasport Jan. 19, she again sprang a leak and put into Rockland, where she was caulked. Soon after her departure from there four days ago the Greta ran into a north-west gale and zero weather, was unable to get into Portland, and was glad enough to reach here in time to escape at least one of the many gales of the winter.

### HEARING ON THE PORTSMOUTH AND EXETER RAILWAY

At two o'clock this afternoon a hearing was begun before the committee on railroads at Concord on the matter of closing the Portsmouth and Exeter railway.

Appearing in favor of continuing service on that road were Attorney John W. Keller, Fred H. Ward, William J. Cater, William A. Hodgdon and F. W. Hartford from this city.

Messrs. Eugene Daniels of Greenland, Scammon and Emery from Stratham and several men from Exeter also appear in favor of continuing traffic.

The Portsmouth and Exeter road is being represented by Messrs. D. A. Heider and Samuel W. Emery, Jr.

### WANT PRESTON AMENDMENT REPEALED

Representative E. Percy Stoddard today presented a petition to the house, signed by hundreds of citizens, asking that the so-called Preston amendment, relating to the liquor law, be repealed.

#### ANNUAL VISIT TO BRENTWOOD

The annual visit of the Rockingham county delegation in the legislature to the county farm will be made on Thursday next.

Matinee and evening performances every afternoon and evening this week at Music Hall.

### THE BLIZZARD WAS RIGHT ON ITS SCHEDULE

For at least once this winter, the red flags of the weather bureau were correct in their predictions. Soon after northeast storm warnings were displayed Monday afternoon, the heaviest snow fall of the season, accompanied by a low temperature and strong wind, came slap from the interior, where for several days past it had been holding sway, doing its best to besmirch the character of little February, for whose virtue the groundhog had already vouched.

No-school signals were blown at 7.45 a. m. and 12.45 p. m. here and at Kittery. Cut of door work at the navy yard and construction work about the city was suspended.

Trains on the Boston and Maine maintained their schedules very well, but on the Atlantic Shore railroad and the local electric railway cars were somewhat delayed. Snow plows were kept busy on all the lines.

Several schooners and barges in tow made port before the storm and were snugly sheltered in the lower harbor.

The snow was light and drifted badly.

### POLICE COURT

The army, navy and the ladies were represented in the morning session of police court today. The elaborate collection were all gathered during the hours of 5 and 7 o'clock on Monday afternoon, when the male end of the aggregation were out doing third degree stunts.

Frank Dade, who first gave his name as Sullivan, thought the Washington was not speedy enough for him and another rookie, so they pinched a hack belonging to Carl brothers and wore all the rest of the runners in the race about the city. Dade got pinched, the other rookie getting away. Today it was all a dream and he laid it all up to the booze. The ride cost him a trip to jail to hang out there till the April term of superior court, unless he can get \$200 in bail money.

Lawrence Ryan, another hot sport from the cruiser, and who hails from the Pacific slope, was charged with annexing himself to a costly fur coat at the DeWitt hotel. Lawrence did not want the coat; he only took it, because it looked good, and was warm. The rest of his day's outing was a blank to his memory. He was defended by a lawyer named Smith, who said he practices in the office of Judge Dewey of Boston. He put up quite a spiel for the Jackie, but what was the use? Ryan is a king freak and perhaps the next time he gets liberty in this city he will probably pipe down when it comes to starting anything like that of Monday. For the fur coat joke \$25.00 will release him and nothing else.

#### The Army Heard

Samuel Morkowicz, a soldier caused a gathering of spectators on Vaughan street on Monday in his swiping fighting challenges to any man who wished to stand before him. Sam was certainly in bad. His face had the appearance of one that

was affected by the broadside of a cyclone.

He informed the relief party that came to him in the rear of the Freeman block that he had just made a lofty jump from the roof of the block and was going to do it again. The next jump, however, was to the police station where he forgot all about these acrobatic feats until today.

Sam had never faced the tribunal before and the court thought he carried trademarks enough and released him.

Louis Doliber another on first appearance for drunkenness, got by with a suspended sentence.

#### Ladies Not Talkative

Jrene Foy and Leith Rogers were charged with street walking. They listened to the reading of the writ and softly said "Guilty your Honor."

Tonight they take the Day Side Limited for the farm where they can do their little bit in the laundry end of the institution for thirty days, and also work out the costs of \$6.00 at the rate of 50 cents per diem.

### The Herald Hears

That some of the Washington crew were certainly on the freak stunts on Monday night.

That the John Boyle O'Reilly club of Boston want the Emmets of this city to meet them on the tug of war boards.

That it's plain to everybody that more patrolmen are needed in the police department.

That the new boilers for the Rockingham County Light and Power company will be in operation for the coming summer.

That the new Congress street dry goods store opens on March 1.

That a well known local business house will shortly change hands in management.

That the new machine on trial for cleaning out the street gutters is not just what is needed.

That the bill for retirement of life savers is meeting with much favor in Washington.

#### OBSEQUIES

Miss Rose Ann Weeks  
The funeral of Miss Rose Ann Weeks was held from the First Christian church at Kittery Point at 2 p. m. today. Rev. Mrs. Coffin officiating. Interment was in the church cemetery under direction of O. W. Ham.

Never can tell when you'll mash a finger or suffer a cut, bruise, burn or scald. Be prepared. Dr. Thomas' Eclectic Oil instantly relieves the pain—quickly cures the wound.

## FAIR

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No. 8 New Elmwood Range. Price \$10.

No. 7 New Empress Range with low closet. Price \$6.  
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